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NAMED HEAD OF FIRST AID

JOHN PRICE, JR., MADE A RED CROSS CHAIRMAN.

OTHERS NOT SELECTED

Roll Call and Junior Red Cross Executives to Be Chosen Later.—Reports Given.

John Price, jr., was named chairman of life saving and first aid of the Nodaway County Red Cross chapter at a meeting of the executive committee last night at the city hall. The appointment of Mrs. Charles E. Stilwell as chairman of the braille division was approved.

The executive board discussed names of persons for chairmen of the roll call and Junior Red Cross but no appointments were made.

The report of Mrs. Fern Crull, executive secretary, which was read before the board, showed that the Red Cross chapter has a balance of $1,224.95. Her report showed that $647 was sent into the National Red Cross headquarters last month as its share from the Roll Call last November. Nodaway County retained the balance of the $1,500 given in the roll call campaign.

Expenses of the chapter for January were $53.57, $25 for secretary's salary; $5 for material for girls dresses to make layettes, $10 for subscriptions to the Red Cross Courier, $2.75 for meals and lodging for needy transients, $5.60 incidentals, $2.40 express and $3 for garage rent.

Mrs. Fern Crull, executive secretary, handled thirteen cases during the month and closed five.

Members of the board present at the meeting were Dr. C. V. Martin, Chester Lyle, the Rev. Richard Felix, Paul Bubler, Howard Strong, Mrs. W. F. Chaves, Mrs. Fern Crull, Mrs. Mamie Clardy and Roy Lippman.

San Domingo Awaits Arrival of Lindbergh

Aviator Expected There This Afternoon in Flight From San Juan, Porto Rico.

San Domingo, Feb. 3.—San Domingo, where Columbus founded the first colony of Europeans and where many people believe Columbus still is buried, was awaiting eagerly today the arrival of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, a trail blazer of another age.

A national holiday has been declared for tomorrow, when Lindbergh is expected to arrive from Porto Rico.

President Vasquez, the minister of foreign affairs, and the American minister will head the reception committee.

Col. Lindbergh is expected to land at 2 p. m. He will be taken to the city hall, where the keys of the city will be handed to him. At 5 p. m., President Vasquez will hold a reception in Lindbergh's honor, and decorate him with a gold medal.

Entertained at San Juan.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Feb. 3.—San Juan today entertained Col. Lindbergh as enthusiastically as if he had made a 1,000 mile flight instead of a hop of 75 miles yesterday in coming here from the Virgin Islands.

He will be a guest at several functions today and this evening and tomorrow will fly to Santo Domingo.

Mosby Urges Bonding of Paroled Prisoners

Pardons Commissioner Believes Bonding Would Remedy Weakness in Present Parole Machinery.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—Thomas S. Mosby, Missouri state commissioner of pardons and paroles, delivered a luncheon address at the St. Louis City club today in which he advocated bonding paroled criminals as an aid to efficient surveillance after their release.

"The weakness of the present parole system," Mosby said, "is that there is no machinery to make the supervision of the paroled man efficient. It could be corrected by bonding the man for the duration of his sentence.

"The bondsman would see to it that the convict lived up to the parole, if there was danger that a bond forfeiture would be levied against him in event its terms were violated.

To Los Angeles.

Mrs. Dorothy B. Keaster left yesterday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will make her home with a relative. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Conklin, Sr.

M .H. S. Debate Lost to Central, St. Joseph

Park College Judge Gives Decision For Negative Side.—Maryville Still in League.

Maryville high school lost its debate this morning to Central high school at St. Joseph. The debate took place there at 11 o'clock this morning. The defeat does not eliminate Maryville from the state league series, however. The team has three other chances to win in the second round of the debate.

Buster King and Ford Bradley, the Maryville representatives took the affirmative side of the argument. Helen Farnham and Jane Cornelius of St. Joseph defended the negative side.

R. W. Mager, of Park College, was the judge.

The second debate for Maryville in the second round will take place with Easton on February 10.

F. S. KING TO LEAVE STORE

WELL KNOWN BUSINESS MAN QUITS ACTIVE WORK.

IN IT FOR 59 YEARS

Retiring Manager for Graham Company Known for Retentive Memory, Knowledge of Stock.

F. S. King, actively in business for fifty-nine years, twelve of which were in Maryville as manager of the Graham store, has retired from business and no longer will be identified with the store.

Mr. King is 73 years old. His successor is Paul Miner, of Washington, Ia., who arrived in Maryville this week to take over the duties as manager.

The retirement of Mr. King from business follows a nervous breakdown which he suffered just after the Christmas holidays, due to excessive work. He had been confined to his home since that time. He is regaining his physical vigor, but has definitely decided to withdraw from business life in the community.

Mr. King was born in Ohio, moving to Atchison, Kan., in 1876, where he was associated with the Frank Howard Manufacturing Co., until 1893, when he went to Omaha, Neb., in a business of his own.

Mr. King, with C. L. Graham, who died two years ago, organized in 1913 the Graham chain stores, prominent throughout parts of Iowa, with but two stores in Missouri, the one here and the other at Chillicothe.

He first came to Maryville in 1915 and took charge of the Graham store here, first located in the Byers building. The present location has been occupied since 1919.

Mr. King has been a public-spirited business man. At one time he was a director of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce, and as an active business man he will be missed. He has many friends throughout Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, and this section of Missouri.

Mr. King is noted for his retentive memory and never forgets the name of an individual or the town he is from. He can recall at once the buying and selling price of all the merchandise in the Graham store, so familiar is he with its stock. He is known as a good judge of maferials and no one ever has been able to misrepresent quality to him.

Mr. Miner is married but has no children. Mrs. Miner will come to Maryville within about ten days to make her home. The new manager has been identified with Graham's less than a year. Prior to that time he was with the Connors chain store, including ten in all.

Air Mail Plane Down Near Missouri City

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—The new air mail service between Chicago and Dallas recorded its first accident today when Pilot Charles E. Peeples, en route to Kansas City from Chicago, was forced to land in a river bottom field three miles west of Missouri City, Mo., Peeples was uninjured.

The pilot had taken off from Chicago more than an hour behind schedule. He made his regular stop at Moline, Ill., and left there at 11:15 o'clock last night. When Peeples arrived near Missouri City motor trouble developed and he released two parachute flares.

By the aid of the light he made a perfect landing but was unable to stop his plane from rolling before it crashed into a tree. The wings and the landing gear were wrecked.

FEW FORGET REGULATIONS

MOTORISTS ARE GETTING LICENSES WITH LESS TROUBLE.

391 ISSUED SO FOR

Seventeen Makes of Cars Represented at Chamber of Commerce.—41 Truck Licenses.

Applicants for state motor licenses at the branch registration office maintained by the Maryville Chamber of Commerce are making few mistakes and showing little forgetfulness this year.

Only a few persons have forgotten their last year's license numbers, and a few others have sought to write checks.

Motor car owners who have had previous experiences in purchasing licenses are familiar with the rules concerning them, but for the benefit of the new car owners and those who may have forgotten, the following instructions are given by Miss Catherine Tobin, acting secretary of the Chamber of Commerce:

Three Cautions.

1. Missouri's Certificate of Title Law, designed to curb theft and illegitimate sale of automobiles, does not permit the issuance of license plates to motorists who cannot show their certificate of title.

2. Every applicant for a certificate of registration must know the 1927 license number, which is given on the yellow slip.

3. The State Treasurer refuses to accept individual checks unless certified, and these should be in the name of C. E. Stephens.

"By adhering to these simple regulations," Miss Tobin said, "applicants will save themselves much unnecessary delay and inconvenience."

Last year car owners who lost their tags paid $43 for new ones ordered through the local organization. There will be less losing of plates, Miss Tobin believes, if they be securely bolted and not merely attached with wire.

Those who cannot find their titles should immediately make application for a duplicate, as they will be unable to secure licenses until this reaches them. The fee is $1.00.

Must Have Certificate.

All transferred titles must be signed by the owner in favor of the purchaser in the presence of a notary. It is illegal for any person to have in his possession, for more than five days from date of purchase, any motor vehicle, without making application for a certificate of ownership.

Late this afternoon the sale of state owner and truck licenses had reached a total of 391. At the time the report was made, there were about a dozen applicants at the desk waiting to receive plates. Three hundred and fifty of the tags were for passenger cars and forty-one for truck owners.

Seventeen different makes of cars are represented in the sales so far. They are the Chevrolet, Overland, Ford (no new models), Essex, Nash, Buick, Dodge, Oakland, Chrysler, Oldsmobile, Lincoln, Packard, Chalmers, Studebaker, Star, Pontiac and Hudson.

The sale of city automobile license tags dwindled today, only fifteen being sold up to 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, to make a total of eighty-six sold since Wednesday morning.

No Verdict; a New Withey Trial Soon

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—The jury which heard the trial of Mrs. Myrtle Withey, accused of killing her husband, William J. Withey, was dismissed by Judge Ralph S. Latshaw when no verdict was reached.

The prosecutor's office announced the case would be tried again within thirty days.

The jury stood eight to four for acquittal when dismissed.

Auto Club Approves Compromise Issue

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—Good road forces of Missouri were further strengthened today by the action of the Automobile Club of Missouri in voting approval of the $75,000,000 compromise state road bond issue.

In voting its approval of the compromise, the board of governors of the Automobile Club carefully pointed out, however, that the action was taken "to aid in maintaining the unity of good roads forces throughout the state." The board still feels the $120,000,000 issue the more adequate, it was said.

Former Maryville Man Shoots Himself

L. W. Redmond, 35, May Die After Attempted Suicide at Pueblo, Colorado.

Pueblo, Colo., Feb. 3.—Placing a sawed-off shotgun against his body, L. W. Redmond, 35, a cook of Maryville, Mo., inflicted wounds which may prove fatal here early today.

No motive was given for his attempt on his life.

Maryville hotel and restaurant men did not remember a L. W. Redmond, although several said they had a "vague recollection" of such a name. One though he might have been here between ten and fifteen years ago.

MAY JAIL AN OIL MAGNATE

COMMITTEE PROCEEDS AGAINST R. W. STEWART.

REFUSES TO ANSWER

Senate May Impose a Year Sentence For Failure to Aid in Teapot Dome Investigation.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The Senate public lands committee voted unanimously this afternoon to take steps for citation of Robert W. Stewart, chairman of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana for contempt for refusal to answer questions about the $50,000,000 deal of oil men in 1921.

The committee will report to the Senate later this afternoon a resolution recommending that Stewart be brought before the bar of the Senate.

Senator Walsh of Montana intends to provide in his resolution that the sergeant-at-arms bring Stewart before the Senate tomorrow.

When Steward is hailed before the Senate the disputed questions will again be asked him, and should he refuse, the Senate may then vote to send him to jail for not more than one year or fine him $1,000 or both.

May Appeal to Courts.

If Stewart desires to resist the Senate action, he may seek a writ in the courts to prevent the Senate from hailing him before it. If he is jailed, the only appeal open to him is to seek a writ of habeas corpus in the courts.

Usually the Senate has cited reluctant witnesses to the federal district attorney for grand jury action, but in view of a decision of the supreme court in the Mal Daugherty case, the Senate committee decided to take the shorter course.

Refuses Again to Answer.

Stewart, chairman of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, again declined to answer some questions when he appeared before the Senate Teapot Dome committee today.

Before Stewart was called, other witnesses had been heard in a committee report to controvert his denial of knowledge of the inside details of the Continental deal.

Stewart declined particularly to comment on the $3,000,000 profits of the Continental Trading Company of Canada—$233,000 of which was given former Secretary of Interior Fall by H. F. Sinclair, shortly after Fall leased Teapot Dome to Sinclair.

"I must respectfully decline to answer," said Stewart.

Denies He Handled Bonds.

"I never handled any of the bonds," Stewart said. "I never heard of Teapot Dome until Sinclair got the lease. Nor do I know of any bonds being given to any political party, government official or any official of any state, municipality or territory of the United States."

"Why did you deny that you had given any of these bonds to a political party?" Senator Walsh of Montana asked.

"I think I read in the newspapers that you were looking into some question like that," Stewart replied.

Stewart denied he had any interest in the Continental, and said he did not know who did have.

Walsh once asked Stewart why he hesitated in answering certain questions.

"That's my business," Stewart answered.

Senator Kendrick of Wyoming told Stewart his story was logical up to the line of the formation of the Continental, but that "I am unable to follow it after that."

"I am sorry," said Stewart. "I am on the best of terms with all you gentlemen here, and I am reluctant to take the position I do."

HICKMAN AS THE MESSIAH

SAW HIMSELF GREATER THAN CHRIST, ALIENISTS SAY.

DEFENSE NEAR END

Last of Testimony in Murderer's Sanity Hearing Is Expected Today.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 3.—A delusion that he was to be the "messiah of modern youth in crime," was harbored by William Edward Hickman when he murdered Marion Parker, defense alienists testified, in substance, at his trial today.

To substance the testimony of the psychiatrists the defense attempted to introduce a weird document by the slayer in his cell in which he declared himself to be under the guidance of a "special providence."

District attorney Asa Keyes vigorously protested the introduction of the manuscript, which he called "hodge podge" and his objection was upheld by Judge Trabucco.

Deteriorated Rapidly.

Summarizing his entire testimony, Dr. A. L. Skogg of the University of Kansas said Hickman was suffering from a pronounced case of demantia praecox of the paranoiac type.

This form of insanity shows itself most prominently in the loss of emotions and intelligence.

Dr. Skogg said his examination revealed that Hickman gradually had deteriorated from a brilliant state of intelligence to one almost below ordinary.

His loss of emotion also was pronounced, the physician said.

The defense is expected to complete its case today.

The defense includes the following high lights:

1. Testimony that the Hickman family has shown traits of insanity for three generations.

2. The sudden change of the slayer from a popular and brilliant student to a morose and unapproachable individual.

3. The brutality of the crime he committed.

4. Lack of a definite motive and the small sum demanded as ransom.

5. Testimony of the father and mother that Hickman was "born dead."

6. Evidence that his mother, Mrs. Eva Hickman, had been committed to an insane asylum and that shortly before Hickman's birth she was in her worst mental state.

Hickman was deluded by the belief that a "special providence" ordered him to murder Marion Parker, Dr. R. O. Shelton, former sanity commissioner of Sandiego, testified.

"Greater Than Christ.

The alienist testified in Hickman's sanity hearing that his questioning of the young murderer had brought out that Hickman believed himself "greater than Christ," and that he was sent to earth "with a message for all men."

According to Dr. Shelton, Hickman told him that he was to be a man without emotion and that the murder was directed by "providence," as a test.

The witness testified that Hickman said that at one point during the murder of the Parker child he stopped his work and played a phonograph record to determine whether he was experiencing any emotion.

Dr. Shelton said that Hickman believes that if he hangs, he will be like Christ.

At other times he believes that he never will be hanged but that his "providence" will cause some accident that will halt the law, Dr. Shelton said.

Mother and Father Testify.

The trial reached a climax yesterday when the Hickman family—mother, father and brother of Edward—came into court to term Edward insane. The father, Thomas Hickman, and the brother, Alfred, told of the insanity heritage on the mother's side.

Thomas Hickman told of his family life and of the threatened murderous attacks by his wife.

"I am just like any other man," he sobbed as the state sought to establish in cross examination that his affairs with other women had brought about collapse of his wife's health.

Then the mother, Mrs. Eva Hickman, took the stand. She is a slim little woman. Her gray hair was tied back in an old-fashioned knot.

In a high thin voice she recited the events of her life, in which suicide attempts, a wayward husband, five children and a poverty stricken home vied for attention.

Hickman Offers Self for Experimentation

Results May Save Other American Youths From Crime, He Tells District Attorney.

Los Angeles, Feb. 3.—Edward Hickman offered himself as a subject for clinical experiments to save other American youths from crime in a letter received at the district attorney's office.

The document, 3,500 words long, stated "My special providence might have wanted me for that use."

"Whether I am condemned to die or allowed to live," the letter read, "I believe some good can be done by turning me over to the investigation of medical science, in order to discover what is responsible for the present wave of youthful criminals.

"Perhaps my life was intended by providence to exemplify the tendency of modern youth to generate criminality, and the crime which was my last and the wide publicity it has gotten may only be steps in bringing me before the world so I can do some great good."

NO BIG NAVY IN A HURRY

VOTING OF HUGE FUND NOT LIKELY AT THIS SESSION.

MAY BE A GESTURE

President Coolidge Is Not Strong for $800,000,000 Program, Congress Hears.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Possibility of action at this session of Congress on President Coolidge's $800,000,000 program or any other sizeable naval building program appeared today to be fading.

Technical legislative difficulties have arisen in addition to the opposition already created by the size of the proposed program. Further, those who will have charge of the legislation in the House have become convinced by recent testimony that the proposal is merely a gesture, as some said at first.

On top of President Coolidge's intention to build warships only as Treasury surpluses warrant, they have the expressed hope of Rear Admiral Hilary P. Jones, retired, that it will not be necessary to carry out the program because of possible fleet reductions at the five-power conference in 1931. Jones was head of the naval board which drafted the program, and his statement was regarded as significant.

Hint at Coolidge Opposition.

President Coolidge, some congressmen say, wants no $800,000,000 five-year program. They assert he demonstrated this by his failure to include a specific time limit, though Secretary of Navy Wilbur insisted the program was planned for a five-year period.

Standing in the way of "big navy" members, who are sincere in their desire to initiate some kind of a building program this year, is the legislative situation. It was the intention to get the authorization legislation approved so that money for the new program could be carried in the naval appropriations bill this year, but the naval affairs committee still is in the midst of its hearings, and the appropriations committee will begin in a few days to work on the appropriation bill.

Two Bills Necessary.

The naval affairs committee then is faced with the necessity of getting an authorization bill through Congress and signed by the President, and after that a bill appropriating the money. It may get the authorization bill through, but that will mean no ships until the money is provided. Congress still is voting money for authorizations years old.

Chairman French, Republican, Idaho, of the naval sub-committee of the appropriations committee, said today he expected no appropriations for a new building program this year, though the regular naval bill will provide money for ships now under construction.

Plane to Fly on to Nicaragua Tomorrow

Miami, Fla., Feb. 3.—The tri-motored Fokker marine plane en route from Washington to Nicaragua will leave here tomorrow for the Central American country, its commander, Lieutenant George Towner, said today.

The plane made a non-stop flight from Washington to Miami yesterday in nine hours and forty minutes.

MILL CITY IS RAVAGED

FIRE DAMAGE $25,000,000 IN FALL RIVER, MASS.

250 PERSONS INJURED

5,000 to 10,000 Out of Work as Result of Burning of Big Industrial Plants.—Flames All Night.

FALL RIVER FIRE RANKS WITH GREAT DISASTERS

By United Press.

The disastrous fire in Fall River, Mass., today—which will result in a property damage of at least $25,000,000—Ranks with some of the major fire disasters of history.

A list of some of the fires that have caused great damage includes:

Boston, 1872	$100,000,000
Hoboken, N. J., 1900	10,000,000
Constantinople, 1870	25,000,000
San Francisco, 1851	10,000,000
Chicago, 1871	165,000,000
St. Johns, N. F., 1892	25,000,000
Baltimore, Md., 1904	25,000,000
San Francisco, 1906	350,000,000
Smyrna, 1922	250,000,000
Berkeley, Calif., 1923,	35 blocks burned.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 3.—The last embers of the $25,000,000 fire which swept Fall River's business and industrial district during the night had scarcely been extinguished this afternoon when business men began work on a program of reconstruction.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 3.—Fire which burned for more than fifteen hours in this city's business district, causing estimated damage of $25,000,000, was "completely extinguished shortly before 10 a. m., today, Police Chief Martin Feeney announced. In some sections the ruins were still smouldering but there was no sign of flames.

A complete checkup today revealed that forty-nine office buildings and six houses either weer destroyed or damaged by the fire.

Chamber of Commerce officials reported that 5,000 to 10,000 persons were out of work because of the fire.

No Looting Reported.

Reports that martial law had been declared were denied by Chief Feeney, who said there had been no looting.

Half a square mile in the heart of the business and industrial section of the "Spindle City" lay in ruins. Within nine hours the flames, which started at 7 p. m., Thursday in the idle plant of the Pocasset Textile Mill, had spread with such fury that at times the entire city of 125,000 population appeared to be doomed.

Five hundred regular firemen recruited from dozens of nearby towns in Massachusetts and Rhode Island and hundreds of volunteers fought all night against the heavy odds of a freezing wind and darkness. Fourteen firemen were injured.

Twelve persons, including five firemen, were seriously injured and 250 persons were treated for minor hurts.

More than twenty buildings were in the direct path of the blaze and were destroyed.

Public Buildings Remain.

Included in this list were the great Pocasset mills, the Rialto Theater, the Hotel Mohican, the News-Herald plant, the bus terminal and numerous smaller structures.

The post office and city hall—two of the city's most beautiful buildings—were isolated by flames but did not burn. They are constructed of granite.

The two buildings, in the light of the flames this morning, were but stark, blackened outlines against a background of destruction.

It was so cold that the streets were turned to sheets of ice and the charred walls in many places were ice coated.

Much of the fire fighting apparatus was coated with ice and rendered useless.

Dynamiting Is Futile.

The "Granite Block," for years one of the main business buildings, was a mass of twisted girders. Firemen

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Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, with mild temperature.

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Wilson Headquarters at His Former Home

Senator Francis A. Wilson, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, will make his state campaign headquarters at his old home at Platte City, according to the Plattsburg Leader.

He has selected C. A. Leedy, jr., a Kansas City lawyer, as his campaign secretary.

McCawley's Hat in Gubernatorial Ring

State Senator is First Democrat to File for Office.—Favors Prison for Criminal Insane.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Formal declaration of his candidacy for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination was filed here today by Senator A. L. McCawley of Carthage, author of the state prohibition and motor transportation acts.

McCawley is the first Democrat to file for the office, although Charles A. Lee, state superintendent of public schools, and Francis Wilson of Kansas City have been campaigning for several weeks.

In announcing his platform McCawley declared he would advocate economy in government, replacement of "fire traps" at state institutions, flood relief to farmers in southeast Missouri, legislative aid to farmers along the lines of collective bargaining, elimination of duplication of state governmental agencies, and pledge of definite party responsibility in executive appointments.

One of the most important planks in Senator McCawley's platform is insistence that criminals escaping the death penalty on grounds of insanity be confined in an institution for the criminally insane for the remainder of their lives.

"Flu" and Scarlet Fever Close Schools

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—The Pembroke School for boys in Kansas City has been closed because three of its students contracted scarlet fever, it was announced last night.

It was expected that the school will be resumed within two weeks.

Eldorado, Kan., Feb. 3.—All schools in Eldorado were closed today by the Board of Education following a report indicating nearly 500 mild cases of influenza among students.

Oklahoma Grand Jury Quiz Still Doubtful

Oklahoma City, Feb. 3.—Probability of a grand jury being called to investigate allegations of corruption in connection with the adjournment of the Oklahoma Senate impeachment court still is uncertain, county attorney J. K. Wright said today.

2 Iowa Girls in Twenty Robberies

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Two Iowa girls, each 17, and three young men were held here today in connection with twenty suburban robberies.

Police said they confessed to the score of thefts, committed by the five working together.

The girls were Lucille Williams and Vera Owens, formerly of Davenport, Iowa. The men were Nicholas Calles, 20; Frank Necjdr, 21 and Martin Jucet, 21.

Hukriede Re-Nominated.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Coolidge sent the following nomination to the Senate today:

Theodore W. Hukriede, re-nominated as United States Marshal, eastern Missouri.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"The way my nose got skinned up on the ground was when I showed Pug I wasn't scared to stoop over in front of his goat."

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Mill City Is Ravaged

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dynamited some of the walls of that building in an attempt to check the fire. But it was a useless attempt. Several firemen were injured in the explosion.

Stories of heroism came even while the most of the city was guarding against destruction of its property or preparing to flee to safety.

Telephone operators, working at an exchange near the Wilbur Hotel, continued at their tasks for more than an hour as they watched the flames consume the hotel and eat steadily toward their building. The telephone lines finally were put out of commission shortly before midnight as the ice and flames snapped cables.

The manager of the Rialto Theater went into the streets and saw the approaching danger.

Theater Emptied Quietly.

Calmly and quietly he walked through the crowded building and row-by-row—in a very calm voice—asked the patrons to leave. He gave no reason for the request. The brilliant glare of the fire did not show in the building.

Somewhat puzzled, but without sensing danger, the crowd moved out of the building without panic.

A short time later the building was in ruins.

Residents living on the edge of the business district this morning prepared to leave their homes. While there was no general exodus, many fled from the path of danger, carrying some of their possessions.

The investment in property in Fall River is immense. There are in the mills 3,000,000 spindles represented invested capital of $25,000,000. Two of the great mills were destroyed.

The city is a shipping and manufacturing center on Narragansett Bay. It is forty-nine miles southwest of Boston and eighteen miles southeast of Providence, R. I.

Like Blaze Twelve Years Ago.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 3.—The disastrous fire that swept Fall River last night and early today recalled a fire that did $1,000,000 damage twelve years ago this month.

Government Aid Offered.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Government resources were placed today at the disposal of flame-swept Fall River, Mass.

President Coolidge ordered the army and navy to give every assistance possible to the stricken city.

The Red Cross sent its disaster director, Henry M. Baker, to the scene of survey relief needs.

Fred Kurtz, Sr., went to St. Joseph yesterday.

Miss Ora Barmann, Maryville, went to St. Joseph today.

Mrs. L. L. King spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of her father, S. E. Wells of Ravenwood, who has been ill for the past few weeks.

Read the Want Ads.

BURNS
Cover with wet baking soda—afterwards apply gently—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly

Another car of that good "Western Kentucky" lump

COAL

ON THE WAY.

$6.50 at the car.

Shall we call you when it comes?

Close prices at car on mixed load feeds next week.

FARMERS EXCHANGE.

Seven More Rebels Killed by Marines

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 3. — At least seven rebels were killed in recent engagements with a troop of marines, headed by Captain Roger W. Peard of Iowa, according to reports today from the San Albino mine district.

The troop engaged in five fights in two days without losing a single man or animal, the reports said.

In one of the encounters Captain Peard's troop was attacked in camp early in the morning, but managed to fight off the rebels successfully.

The engagements preceded the marine advance on El Chipote. The troop later joined Major Archibald's advance on El Chipote. They reported in addition to the seven known dead they had counted several fresh graves along their route.

Persistent rumors continued among conservative politicians here today that the United States was considering the possibility of having General Emiliano Chamorro, former president, ousted from Nicaragua if he continued opposition to the McCoy Electoral law. Chamorro was understood to have said he expected some such action.

Chamorro is understood to have told friends that he was determined that the law in its original form, giving the United States complete supervision in the coming elections, should not pass.

A substitute law, relegating General McCoy to little more than an observer, has passed the House and is now in the hands of the Nicaraguan Senate.

The Chamorro faction is so determined that there shall be no United States supervision of the elections that they threaten to have the conservative vote stay away from the polls in case the United States carries out its plans.

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SOCIETY

Kaffee Klatsch.

Misses Gertrude and Edna Sturm entertained thirty guests at a Kaffee Klatsch at their home south of Maryville Thursday evening. Euchre was played at five tables. Prizes for high score were given Miss Mary Gram and Gaylord Baker.

Good Luck Club.

Mrs. Geo. McNeil, southeast of Graham entertained the Good Luck Club Wednesday afternoon.

There were ten members and three visitors present. The visitors were: Mrs. Fern Boblett and Mrs. Pearl Mcneil of the Sunny Side Club and Mrs. Ora Waugh of Barnard. The roll call was answered with ways of preparing healthful salads. At the last meeting the members had aprons and patterns from the extension department of the university of Missouri. The discussions of curtain material, paints and home made pillows. It was interesting and several good points were learned by all.

The roll call next meeting will be answered with lunches and how to prepare them. At the close of the meeting refreshments of steam pudding with fruit sauce and coffee were served.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Chas. Warner's Feb. 15.

Pledges Delta Gamma

Mu chapter of the Delta Gamma sorority at the University of Missouri announces the pledging of Miss Pauline Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jones of Parnell.

R. N. I. Club.

Mrs. Ellwood Barrett, Mrs. Tony Bluel, Mrs. Hanna Bramble, Miss Thelma Bramble and Miss Nina Bowman were hostesses at the meeting of the R. N. I. Club at the I. O. O. F. hall, yesterday afternoon. After a business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Florence Westfall played two piano selections. Refreshments carried out the St. Valentine's Day theme. Thirty-two members and eight guests were present.

March hostesses will be Mrs. Fern Crull, Mrs. L. A. Conder, Miss Mae Doran and Mrs. Steve Donahue.

Literary Progressive Club.

The Literary Progressive Club met with Mrs. James McKee yesterday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. A. B. Crater, presiding. The members repeated the club's collect by Mary Stuart. Roll call was answered with governors of Missouri.

Committees were named for the drafting of the new year book. The program committee is composed of Mrs. F. H. Leary, Mrs. Cecil Lawson and Mrs. Rudolph Johnson. The time, place and hostess committee is composed of Mrs. D. M. Bishop and Mrs. M. L. Bentley.

The program at the meeting yesterday was on Missouri and Mrs. D. M. Bishop and Mrs. I. A. Goodson were in charge.

The club meeting happened to fall upon the day before the hostess' birthday and the members surprised Mrs. McKee by presenting her with gifts.

Mrs. McKee was assisted by Mrs. O. Wright and Mrs. Orson Walker in serving a two-course supper. The menu included roasted chicken, noodles, dressing, sandwiches, pickles, fruit salad, angel food cake, pie and coffee.

Mrs. Harry Davis is a new member of the club.

Guests present yesterday were: Mrs. Ed Warden, Mrs. O. Wright, Mrs. Orson Walker, Mrs. Fay Casteel and daughter, Patsy Fay.

Mrs. S. P. Ross will be the next hostess, February 16.

The members present at the meeting were: Mrs. D. M. Bishop, Mrs. A. B. Crater, Mrs. David Crater, Mrs. Mary Flynn, Mrs. I. A. Goodson, Mrs. Madison Goodson, Mrs. F. H. Leary, Mrs. Fred Lyle, Mrs. Cecil Lawson, Mrs. James McKee, Mrs. E. H. Sims, Miss Nellie Sims, Mrs. S. P. Ross, Mrs. Rudolph Johnson, Mrs. Clyde Adcock and Mrs. James Hubbell.

For Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. John Appleby entertained a number of relatives last evening at a six o'clock dinner at their home, 222 West Seventh street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Williams of Thomas, S. Dak., who left for their home this morning. Those entertained were: Mr. and Mrs. John Halasey of Maryville, J. E. Williams of Quitman, Mr. and Mrs. George David and Florence, Leland, Doris and Georgia David of Pickering; Mr. and Mrs. William Williams of Thomas, S. Dak., and Eva and Ada Hood.

Dinner-Bridge-Dance.

The valentine theme was carried out in the appointments for the dinner-bridge-dance at the Maryville Country Club last night. Forty-one persons attended the dinner and more than fifty persons were present for the dancing in the evening.

High scores at bridge were made by Mrs. G. L. Wilfley and J. C. McDonnell. The consolation awards went to Mrs. M. F. Hamilton and Dr. J. C. Allender.

Bovard's orchestra furnished music.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed of Mrs. E. D. Arnold, chairman; Mrs. Hal Hooker, Mrs. Edward W. Gray, Mrs. E. C. Braniger and Miss Edith A. Barnard.

Bridge For Mrs. Meek.

Mrs. Byron Costello and Miss Mary Carpenter will entertain with four tables of bridge honoring Mrs. Lee Meek at the home of Miss Carpenter, 410 East Fourth street, tomorrow night.

Highland Club.

The Highland Club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Roy Kelley with Mrs. W. H. Burr as program leader. The scripture reading by Mrs. Burr was followed by the Lord's Prayer. The roll call and discussion was on prohibition. Mrs. Will Mires drew from the birthday box. The club will give a valentine party Friday evening, Feb. 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chestnut in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. Adkins and family who are leaving the district. Members are to take sandwiches and pie.

Mrs. Hall will entertain the club on Saturday Feb. 11. Mrs. O'Day invited the club to meet with her on Thursday, Feb. 9., when she entertains the Union club.

The next regular meeting will be held with Mrs. John Looker on Feb. 15 with Mrs. I. P. Carmichael as leader. Roll call, "What I enjoy doing most"

The following were guests at the meeting: Mrs. Thomas O'Day, Miss Margaret Davison, Miss Faye Croy, Miss Morris, Miss Ida Steph, Lawrence Jones, W. H. Burr. Members present: Mrs. W. H. Burr and daughter, Evelyn and Mary Ellen, Mrs. Anderson Nelson, Mrs. Joe Wilmes, Mrs. J. C. Chestnut, Mrs. Pat Farrens, Mrs. Will Mires, Mrs. I. P. Carmichael, Ruth Matter, Mrs. Roy Kelley and family.

C. C. Club.

The Cheerful circle, C. C. Club of Swallow district, met with Mrs. Edward Busby, southwest of Maryville, yesterday afternoon. Roll call was answered with problems in sewing. An apron demonstration was held. Mrs. Otis Lyle gave a talk on the selection and buying of silk hose.

The hostess was assisted in serving by Miss Gladys Busby and Mrs. Byron Busby.

Those present were: Mrs. Edison Blagg, Mrs. Kent Coulter, Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mrs. Anna Fox, Mrs. Alva Heflin and children, Jean and Jimmie, Mrs. Sherman Heflin, Mrs. Otis Lyle, Mrs. J. D. Mutz, Mrs. Charles Shamberger and Miss Chloe Riggle; Mrs. Byron Busby and Mrs. Dean Busby and children, Hah Mae and Marles Dean. The next meeting place will be announced later.

Affair Well Attended.

More than one hundred persons attended the illustrated talk on Missouri's capitol building which Miss Olive DeLuce presented under the sponsorship of the Twentieth Century club at the Elk's Club last night. The meeting was open to anyone interested.

Those persons who received were: Mrs. W. F. Chaves, club president, Miss Bertha Anderson, Miss Mabel Marr and Mrs. Earl Henderson.

Tea was served after the lecture. Those who poured were Mrs. W. C. Pierce, Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. Ed Egley and Mrs. Ray Harrison.

Lavender and white, the club colors, were used in the table decorations. Lavender and white sweet peas formed the centerpiece for the table. Candlesticks also were used on the table.

Plan Valentine Party.

Plans for a community valentine party at the Myrtle Tree school house the night of February 14 were made yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the L. A. W. club at the home of Mrs. Floyd Chambers. Everyone in the community is invited to attend the party and bring comic valentines.

At the meeting yesterday the afternoon was spent socially following a short business session. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The following members were presnt, Mrs. Forrest Dowden, Mrs. Ray Taylor, Mrs. Burley Gray, Mrs. Clarence Dowden, Mrs. Willis Parent, Mrs. Jess Dowden, Mrs. Will Sanders, Mrs. Albert Dowden, Mrs. Will Freece, Mrs. Ernest Wray, Misses Martha and Roberta Freece. The visitors were Mrs. Tom O'Day, Mrs. Clinton McDowell, Mrs. Howard VanVelson, Mrs. Virgil Holmes, Betty Taylor, Willis Dowden, Omer and Stanley Pfander.

The next meeting will be held February 16, with Miss Mamie McCurry as hostess.

All Day Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Zimmerman entertained the members of the Knabb Country Club and their husbands with an all-day meeting yesterday. A one o'clock dinner was served cafeteria style. The time was spent in games and socially. Mrs. Wm. Job, jr., presided at the business session at which time it was decided to take up the package work through the county agent's office. Mrs. Job will be program leader for three months. Mrs. Presley Bailey read the roll call and the minutes of the last meeting. The year books were discussed and places and dates appointed for the year's meetings. These will be finished at the next meeting. Mrs. Presley Bailey and Mrs. J. L. Tebow drew from the birthday box. Mrs. Leo Stevens and J. M. Stark of Hobson, Mont., were guests of the club and the following members were present: Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Job, sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shackelford, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hardesty and son Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tebow, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fine, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hall, Mrs. Presley Bailey, Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Job, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harve Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Rollie White, Miss Wilma Hall, Jim Murphy.

Mrs. Wm. Job sr., and Mrs. Cy Ashford will entertain the club members and their husbands February 16 at the home of the former. This will be an all day meeting.

Rebekahs Meet.

The Alert Rebekah Lodge, No. 209, met in the I. O. O. F. hall last night with the noble grand, Mrs. E. R. Pyles, presiding. An attendance contest is being held. There are three sides, the Ford group with Mrs. Cora Owens as captain; the Chevrolet group with Mrs. Berniee McCombs as captain, and the third group, the Whippets, with Mrs. Winifred Turner as captain. The Ford group is ahead. Every member is urged to attend and help in the race.

After the regular business meeting the Chevrolet group gave a short entertainment consistiag of a playlet entitled "The First Shave," a mock wedding and "The Honeymoon Bus Excursion." The Ford group will furnish the program next week.

The degree staff of the lodge will meet at the I. O. O. F. hall Monday night for drill practice.

C. G. Clements, Grant City, was in Maryville yesterday.

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Local News

Mrs. L. F. Growney returned from Kansas City Saturday morning where she has been visiting for the last two weeks with her daughters, Misses Irene and Veronica Growney.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null and Miss Nancy Craven and Mrs. Susan Lincoln spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Alsup, who live near the Harmony Church.

Rayburn Shaffer from Braymer, Mo., came Wednesday evening for a visit with his brothers, Forrest, Lawrence, and Claud Shaffer of this city.

Dawson and Elmo Property Sold.

Mr. and Mrs. John Niday have sold to Ina Martin lots 2 to 36 inclusive, block 5, Dawson, for $350, according to a warranty deed filed for record here. Another deed shows that Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Lamar have sold to Oscar V. Nuckolls for $500 lots 27 and 28, block 1, Elmo.

Iowa Couple Wed Here.

William F. Smith of Ladora, Ia., and Verla Hoffman of Clarinda, Ia., were married today at the courthouse by Judge Joseph H. Sayler. They procured their marriage license here.

Fined for Reckless Driving.

T. M. Jones, Arkoe, was fined $5 in police court Thursday morning on a reckless driving charge.—St. Joseph News-Press.

Skidmore to Have One Evening Service

Pleasant Grove Will Have Meeting Sunday Morning—E. K. Christie in Charge.

"The Common People Heard Him" is the title of the sermon which the Rev. I. V. Hawk will deliver at the Methodist Episcopal church at Skidmore, Sunday morning. The only evening church service at Skidmore will be held at the Methodist Church, South, where revival services are being conducted.

The Rev. E. K. Christie of the Methodist Church, South, at Skidmore, will preach at Pleasant Grove Sunday morning.

Bankers Testify in Engle Note Contest

Men From Seven Towns Called to Pass on Signature Repudiated by F. O. Wilson.

Seven bankers were placed on the stand in circuit court today to examine what was purported to be the signature of F. O. Wilson on several notes and an endorsement on a $6,000 note. They were called to the stand by counsel for The First Trust Company of Savannah and Mrs. S. R. Seleeman of Savannah, who are suing Milton Engle, administrator of the Jesse Engle and Sons co-partnership estate, for collection of the $6,000 note.

The note was executed by the Engles to F. O. Wilson, a former resident near Sheridan and the claim is made that the endorsement was forged.

Although there were differences noted in the more than a dozen exhibits of Wilson's signature, the bankers all held the opinion that the endorsement on the $6,000 note was the same as made by Wilson on the notes which are admitted to be as his signatures.

The bankers who testified were Sam Wells, Savannah; H. C. Bailey, Quitman; Oscar Mutti, Hopkins; J. Skidmore, Barnard; Charley Hann, Burlington Junction; Ed Yenni, Amazonia; and W. W. Craig, Bolckow.

Today was the fourth day of the trial, which was brought to this court on a change of venue from Worth county. Testimony still was being given this afternoon and the prospects were that the case would go over until tomorrow for argument by counsel and deliberation of the jury.

Ackerman, Forward, Leaves Cook Team

Tus Ackerman, former Kansas University basketball star, who has been playing with the Cook Paint team of Kansas City, which plays the Bearcats here next Tuesday night, has quit the game for the rest of the season. He has decided that strenuous basketball and business do not mix.

The Cookies also have lost their most valuable player until the week of the national basketball tournament, as Verne Wilkin has been forced from the team becase of a badly wrenched knee.

The Cooks left on a barnstorming trip today to play Osage, Kan. Members who went on the trip were Gale Gordon, Al Peterson, Fred Ekstein, Clark Smaha, Forrest DeBernardi and Robert Mosby.

Bosley Entertainers at Gaynor Church

The Bosley Entertainers of Clarinda, Ia., will appear at Gaynor church at 7:30 o'clock Sunday night.

Read the Want Ads.

DINNERS OF FIREMEN ARE INTERRUPTED

Two Blazes Are Reported During Noon Hour.—Neither Does Serious Damage.

Maryville fire fighters were kept busy during the noon hour today when two fire calls were reported.

The fire department was called to the home of Mrs. E. C. Mack, 202 East Torrance street, where dry grass in the back yard was burning. It was thought the fire was started by some boys playing there. This call was about 12:20 o'clock.

Fifteen minutes later the fire truck was rushed to the home of Jim Andy Ford, 132 South Main street, where the roof had caught fire from the flue. The damage was estimated at $10.

Revival Meetings to Close at Ravenwood

The Rev. J. T. Alsup Announces Opening of Another Series at Elmo, Rev. G. W. Kitchen Assisting.

The third week of the revival meetings which have been conducted at the Ravenwood Christian Church by the Rev. J. T. Alsup, will come to a close Sunday night. The Rev. Mr. Alsup announced that a record breaking attendance at the Sunday School is desired for Sunday. Last Sunday the attendance was 140, but 160 are expected this Sunday.

The services for Sunday will be as usual, Sunday School at 10 a. m.; morning worship at 11 o'clock and the evening services, which will close the revival, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. Alsup announced that beginning Monday a protracted revival will be started at the Christian Church at Elmo. The Rev. G. W. Kitchen of Villisca, Ia., will conduct services at the Elmo Church on Sunday. The order of services are Sunday School at 10 o'clock; morning worship at 11 o'clock; and evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

The Reverend Mr. Alsup will join the Reverend Kitchen Monday for the revival services, which will be held for an indefinite period. This will be the fourth revival in which the Reverend Mr. Kitchen has assisted Mr. Alsup.

Verne Henson has been leading the singing at the Ravenwood Church revival.

Chevrolet Bowlers Win From Parnell

The Chevrolets last night won all three games from the Parnell team to put themselves in a tie with the Nickel Plates for first place with 1,000 percent. Sell and Bellows both bowled over the 500 mark. The score:

CHEVROLETS—				
Sell	158	180	177	515
Buhler	111	170	155	436
Bellows	179	164	171	514
TOTAL				1465
PARNELL—				
Ford	116	146	115	377
Riley	152	138	147	437
Hubbard	138	131	177	446
TOTAL				1260

TEAM STANDING

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chevrolets	3	0	1.000
Nickel Plates	3	0	1.000
Independents	2	1	.666⅔
Puritan Cafe	2	1	.666⅔
Spic & Span	1	2	.333⅓
El Retinas	1	2	.333⅓
Wilcox Club	0	3	.000
Parnell	0	3	.000
Nutty Three	0	0	.000
Missing Links	0	0	.000

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SCORES

Catterson, Nickel Plates	544
Mayes, Puritans	539
Fanning, Puritans	534
Stanfield, Independents	526
Gray, El Retinas	519
Sell, Chevrolets	515
Bellows, Chevrolets	514
Lightfoot, Independents	503

Tonight the Nutty Three and the Missing Links hook up.

Fined $10 for Speeding.

F. E. Wyckoff was fined $10 and costs of $5.65 in police court of Judge Joseph H. Sayler this morning on a charge of speeding.

He was arrested by officer L. E. Atherton shortly before noon.

AUNT HET

"I know I'm a sentimental old fool, but I wish Pa had kissed my hand when we was young so I could set an' remember it when I'm wore out after a day's washin'."

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SOCIETY

W. R. C. Tomorrow.

The W. R. C. will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall. The homecoming of the Sedgwick post of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be held February 18, instead of February 4, as first planned.

Kings Heralds to Meet.

The Kings Heralds will meet at the First Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Miss Helen Gaugh will be the hostess. A picture of the Kings Heralds band will be taken and will be sent to the field secretary to be used in the Silver Book, celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of Kings Heralds. All members are urged to attend.

Missionary Meeting.

Twenty-eight members and five visitors attended the meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church at the home of Mrs. W. O. Garrett, yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. George P. Wright, the president, presided at the meeting which was opened with singing "More About Tithing." Mrs. George Hulet led the devotional services when she read several verses from Second Timothy and followed the reading by a prayer. Mrs. Virgil Hartness read a letter from Mrs. Daisy Wood Van Zant urging the auxiliary to help the young women of the church here with their Christian work. Mrs. Emma Eckles read a letter from Miss Jennie D. Jones, missionary in Fitsing, China. Miss Jones acknowledged the receipt of the Christmas box received from the society and sent her appreciation and thanks. Mrs. George Moore read the third chapter in the text book, "The Straight Way Toward Tomorrow." Mrs. F. L. Mawhinney read a leaflet, "The Treasure Chest." Mrs. Emma Eckles gave "The Coin of the Realm." Mrs. C. A. McCoppin's division won in the mystery box contest.

Assisting hostesses were Mrs. A. C. Nicholas, Mrs. Cooper Gooden, Mrs. S. O. Keever and Mrs. H. E. Wright. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Anna Stauble, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. Charles Stilwell and Eleanor Hartness.

Jolly Mixers.

The Jolly Mixer Club met with Mrs. Pearl Linville, Wednesday afternoon with seventeen members and visitors present. The program was as follows:

Song and Prayer.

Music, Mrs. Lura Groves, Mrs. Ruby Groves, Miss Ruth Groves.

Talks about Lincoln were given by Mrs. Inez Wakely, Grace Blagg, Lura Groves and Minnie Kaufman.

Song, by Bohemian Quartet.

Solo, Hortense Groves.

Piano solo, Mrs. Alice Groves.

Roll call—Each member described her wedding dress. Mrs. Alice Groves, Grace Blagg and Helen Kemper were winners in the contests. The colors of rose and green and the motto, "Get Acquainted With Your Neighbor, You Might Like Her," has been adopted by the club.

Those present were: Mrs. Grace Blagg, Mrs. Helen Kemper, Mrs. Flo Herron, Mrs. Alice Groves, Mrs. Lura Groves, Mrs. Tom Groves, Mrs. Ruby Groves, Mrs. Marvel Stevenson, Mrs. Inez Wakely Mrs. Lucy McDowell, Mrs. Maude Patterson, Mrs. Lena Cox, Mrs. Lillie Sewell, Mrs. Beulah Mendenhall, Mrs. Minnie Kaufman, Misses Hortense and Ruth Groves, Marie and Marjorie Stevenson, Geraldine Mendenhall.

The next meeting will be for all day Feb. 15 at the home of Mrs. Lucy McDowell. Mrs. Helen Kemper and Mrs. Lura Groves will furnish the program.

Study Club.

Roll call was answered with stories at the meeting of the Skidmore Study Club at the home of Mrs. Leta Bodle, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Bodle had charge of the miscellaneous program and read an article on Carrie Jacobs Bond. Miss Lora Stultz read a story, "Mother Would Not Be Disappointed."

Those present were: Mrs. Alice Groves, Mrs. Edna Kabel, Mrs. Pearl Fullerton, Mrs. Nora Lowrance, Mrs. Bell Shell, Miss Lora Stultz; and one visitor, Mrs. T. H. Cowan.

Daughter Named Administratrix.

Mrs. Mary E. Cossins of Sheridan today was named administratrix of the estate of her mother, Mrs. Nancy J. Barber, Parnell, who died April 5, 1926. The appointment was made by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

Father Named Curator.

Robert Spangler of Elmo yesterday was appointed curator of the estate of his daughter, Leila May Spangler of Burlington Junction, by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

Emmett Salle, of Mt. Moriah, Ia., was in Maryville yesterday on business.

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Just received a wonderful line of the famous Home Made House Dresses. They are cleverly designed, and trimmed and are made of tub-fast materials. The prices are very reasonable.

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Fox Trot *With Vocal Refrain*
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Mine—All Mine
Fox Trot *With Vocal Refrain*
Is She My Girl-Friend?
Fox Trot *With Vocal Refrain*
COON-SANDERS ORCHESTRA
No. 21148, 10-inch

Keep Sweeping the Cobwebs Off the Moon
Is She My Girl-Friend?
JOHNNY MARVIN
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In order to dissolve partnership we will sell at the Brennan farm, 7 miles northwest of Maryville, and 1½ miles northeast of Wilcox on

Thursday, February 9

the following property, starting at 11 o'clock:

10 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Gray mare 7 years old, weight 1400; brown mare, weight 1200; bay horse, weight 1100; black horse, weight 1200; gray mare, weight 1400; team mules 7 years old, weight 2400; team black horses, 4 years old; 1 weanling black colt.

16 HEAD OF CATTLE—8 head of good milk cows, all giving good flow of milk; 3 yearling heifers; 5 veal calves.

34 HEAD OF HOGS—11 brood sows bred for April farrow; 23 fall pigs.

GRAIN AND HAY—800 to 900 bushels corn in crib; 50 bushels seed oats; 5 tons timothy hay; 8 or 10 tons clover hay.

IMPLEMENTS—John Deere walking plow; Janesville sulky plow; 1-horse wheat drill; brooder house 8x10 ft., nearly new.

USUAL TERMS.

Lunch by Ireland Industrial Club.

JOHN BRENNAN
CHARLES COCKAYNE

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. A. K. Frank, Clerk.

What Nodaway County Churches Are Doing

SIMON SAYS THUMBS UP

Comment on the Uniform International Series for February 5, 1928. Read Mark 3 and 6.

Wm. Southern, Jr.

One Sunday morning not long ago at a preaching service my attention was irresistibly drawn to a woman in the congregation. She was sitting directly in front of the preacher. She was bolt upright and apparently rigid. Her head was well back and her chin forward and her body motionless through the entire sermon. I thought I could read her thoughts. She did not like the preacher and she was steeled and set to find nothing good in anything he said. She disapproved of the way he read the scripture lesson, the book from which he read it and the very tendder and comforting lesson he drew from it that day. I thought of the days when Jesus was on earth and the practise in Rome when prisoners were cast in the arena to wild animals. A group of vestal virgins had the power of life. If they held thumbs up mercy was extended. If they turned thumbs down, the victim was condemned to death.

This woman, a stern puritan of the puritans, who ought to have lived in another age, had turned thumbs down on the preacher. I could feel it in the electrical sparks in the air. I do not know if the preacher felt the opposition but I think he did. A speaker is very sensitive to sympathy from an audience and just as sensitive to hostility. I shall never forget one day when I attempted to make a local option speech to a group of foreign laborers. Simon said thumbs down that day and I knew I could not even get to first base.

Perhaps I should have been paying closer attention to the sermon but the incident of the hostile woman caused my mind to drift far back over the years to a scene which took place in Nazareth in A. D., 29. It was in the late summer or fall. The country was beautiful and all nature rejoiced. Jesus was making a visit to the Old Home Town after more than a year away. He must have anticipated this visit and must have been a little excited about it. He was again to see his mother and his brothers James, Joses, Judas and Simon. He wanted to greet his sisters again. We do not know how many sisters he had or their names. There were at least two. He remembered the hills where he had played as a boy. The old carpenter shop where he worked with Joseph. It was a real home coming and it seemed a long time since he had left that home.

In the year or more he had been away he had become famous. Wherever he went the crowds gathered and filled the hillside. He had become hated of the high priests and of the ruling class, but loved of the common people. He had disciples with him. He was known as a marvelous healer and a wonderful preacher and it was said of him that never man spoke like this one.

Many of us have been disappointed in a visit to the old home town. The old swimming hole is but a mud puddle, the streets are dry and dusty, the buildings are old and broken and we wonder if the change is in the old town or in us. But the visit of Jesus back to Nazareth that time was much more than this. His family tried to protect him by saying that he was mad. The boys he had played with and worked with said, "I knew him when." One woman remembered that he made the table in her kitchen, another that he had fixed the door to her house. This is the carpenter's son, the boy of all work who was raised up among us. We know him and he has the nerve to come back here claiming to be a great preacher, claiming to be divine, and he is trying to high hat us.

It must have been a sad home coming. You remember what Jesus said? "A prophet is not without honor save in his own country, and among his own kin, and in his own house."

They even accused him of being in league with Beelzebub. The name comes from Baal-zebul which means the prince of flies, hence the prince of pests.

They could not account for him. His heredity, his environment, his youth, with which they were all familiar, accounted for a carpenter, a boy of the little village. The text says "And he could there do no mighty work."

JESUS MISUNDERSTOOD AND OPPOSED.

Lesson Text.—Mark 3:19b-27; 6:1-6. Read Mark 3:19b-35; 6:1-6; Isaiah 50: 4-9.

19b. And he cometh into a house.

20. and the multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread.

21. And when his friends heard it, they went out to lay hold on him; for they said, He is beside himself.

22. And the scribes that came down from Jerusalem said, He hath Beelzebub, and, by the prince of the demons casteth he out the demons.

23. And he called them unto him, and said unto them in parables, How can Satan cast out Satan?

24. And if a kingdom be divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand.

25. And if a house be divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand.

26. And if Satan hath risen up against himself, and is divided, he cannot stand, but hath an end.

27. But no one can enter into the house of the strong man, and spoil his goods, except he first bind the strong man; and then he will spoil his house.

6:1. And he went out from thence and he cometh into his own country; and his disciples follow him.

2. And when the sabbath was come he began to teach in the synagogue; and many hearing him were astonished, saying, whence hath this man these things? and what is the wisdom that is given unto this man, and what mean such mighty works wrought by his hands?

3. Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary, and brother of James, and Joses, and Judas, and Simon? and are not his sisters here with us? And they were offended in him.

4. And Jesus said unto them. A prophet is not without honor, save in his own country, and among his own kin, and in his own house.

5. And he could there do no mighty work, save that he laid his hands upon a few sick folk, and healed them.

6. And he marvelled because of their unbelief.

Golden Text.—He came unto his own and his own received him not. But as many as receive him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name.—John 1:11, 12.

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The people of Nazareth in the synagogues turned thumbs down on Jesus that day. The people of the village looked the other way when he walked along the street. His own family tried to make excuses for him. "And he could there do no mighty work."

I come again to the woman in the the congregation in this twentieth century in a Christian church.

How many times I have seen preachers heartbroken by members of the congregation. How many times have you seen faithful and earnest men in the pulpit who failed to do any mighty work. It is hard enough to preach across a half a dozen vacant pews right up in front at every service. But when back of those empty pews sit men and women with criticism in their hearts, watching for some word which may be twisted into a meaning never intended and never thought of, when men and women gather in groups and agree that the preacher is not orthodox or even condemn him because of his years, or because of the school he attended, the hope of that man to do a mighty work with that congregation is forever blasted.

If Jesus could not do any mighty work in his home town of Nazareth how may we expect a preacher to do mighty work when his people are sitting as judges watching for a chance to trun thumbs down and hunting for a chance?

The success of a Christian church is not always because of the preacher. A very ordinary preacher may make a wonderful success if his people are sympathetic, if they are Christians, if they are sending toward him at every service their sympathetic love and prayers and hopes. The congregation makes a success of the preacher and of the church.

It must have been one of the saddest incidents in the life of Jesus, that visit to the old home town.

No longer do the group of Vestal Virgins sit in the amphitheater at Rome and turn thumbs down sentencing human beings to death. but we in this twentieth century are sometimes more cruel than they when we turn thumbs down in passing judgment on our fellow Christians.

Mitchell to Speak on "Our One Business"

Communion Service at M. E. Church, South—Lindbergh-Ruth Elder Contest Starts.

"Our One Business" is to be the subject of the sermon which the Rev. R. A. Mitchell will preach at the M. E. Church, South, at 10:45 o'clock Sunday morning. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the sermon. The choir will sing an anthem, "Lift Up Your Heads."

Sunday school begins at 9:40 o'clock. "Begin the day right and attend Sunday school," the pastor advises.

The Epworth League meets at 6:30 o'clock. "Jesus, the Center of All Our Young People's Work," is to be the subject of discussion. Miss Frances Tapp is to be the leader. The Lindbergh-Ruth Elder attendance contest is on, with members urged to come and bring a friend.

At the evening worship which will begin at 7:30 o'clock, the Reverend Mr. Mitchell will speak on "Something That Ought to Be Said." Congregational singing will feature favorite songs.

Presbyterians Have Pageant Sunday Eve

"Christ in America" Given by Guild. —Dewar to Preach at Morning Service.

"Christ in America," a pageant which reveals the life and history of this country, will be presented at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian Church. It is given by the Westminster Guild, assisted by members of the Sunday school. A silver offering will be taken.

At the morning worship, which begins at 10:45 o'clock, the Rev. William N. Dewar will preach on "The Laboratory of Christianity." There will be special music by the choir.

Sunday school starts at 9:30 o'clock. There will be no Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 o'clock, owing to the pageant.

Seek to Raise All the Parsonage Fund

One Han Offers $20 if Quota Is Reached at Baptist Church Regular Services.

An attempt will be made Sunday at the First Baptist Church to raise the full amount of the parsonage interest fund. One man offers $20 toward the fund if the amount is successfully obtained this Sunday.

The shortage is nearly $60 of a total of $330. If many will bring a generous offering in their special evelopes this generous offer will be met, the Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor, believes.

Sunday school begins at 9:30 o'clock.

At the morning service, which begins at 11 o'clock, the Rev. Mr. Prather will speak on, "The Lonely Jesus." The choir will sing "Still With Thee," by Ira B. Wilson.

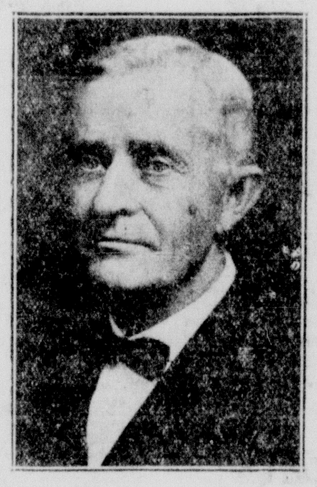
The B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30 o'clock. Miss Noreen White is the leader. The subject is "Gifts We May Make to Jesus." New groups and group captains have been arranged. An interesting program is in store. There were thirty-one present last Sunday evening. Several interesting features are contributing to the interest.

"The Master of Men," is to be the subject of the sermon which the Reverend Mr. Prather will give at the evening worship, starting at 7:30 o'clock. The choir will sing "The Day Is Gently Sinking," by R. M. Stults.

"All are invited to spend a day with us in God's House," Mr. Prather announces.

To Speak at Hopkins Church

JUDGE MERRILL E. OTIS



JUDGE JOHN M. DAWSON

Arkoe Church Has Communion Service

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the Sunday morning service in Arkoe at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The services will start at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Lane Douglas will preach.

Methodist Choir to Give Cantata April 1

Start Practice on "From Calvary to Olivet" as Sunset Devotion Palm Sunday.

The choir of the Methodist Episcopal Church has begun preparation for its annual Lenten Vesper Concert under the direction of Bernhardt Bronson. This year they have chosen the cantata, "From Calvary to Olivet," by Maunders, with Gounod's "Gallia," as a prelude.

This and the Christmas cantata are the two great musical events which the choir gives during the year. The concert will be given at 4 o'clock Palm Sunday, the first day of April.

PICKERING CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services for Sunday:

10 to 12 a. m. Sunday school and morning worship.

2:30 p. m. Junior Mission Band.

7:30 p. m. union service in M. E. church; union choir and special music.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting at the church.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. choir practice, place to be announced Sunday.

NOTES.

We wish to call special attention to the Sunday night union service. Because of the funeral of Rev. Doughty, there was no night service in either church last Sunday. However, the union services will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday with the writer in charge.

Let all children under 14 years of age come to the Junior Band, Sunday afternoon. This is a new organization, with its first meeting last Sunday. It promises to be of great interest for the boys and girls.

The prayer meetings thus far have been attended by more men than women. Mrs. Dora Williams will lead the service next Wednesday night. The topics are always printed in "The Front Rank." Come to prayer meeting.

T. M. WALTON, Pastor.

Lakin to Speak on "Playing the Man"

Sermon Will Be Given Sunday Morning at Christian Church—Speaks Also in Evening.

"Playing the Man," is to be the subject of the sermon which the Rev. L. E. Lakin, of Kansas City, will deliver at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the First Christian Church. At 7:30 p. m. he will preach on "The Kingdom Within."

Sunday school will start at 9:30 o'clock.

The young peoples societies start at 6:30 o'clock. All young people are invited.

At the morning service the choir will sing the anthem, "I Heard The Voice of Jesus Say," by Rathbun. Sunday night there will be an organ and piano duet, "Kriegsmarsch der Priester," played by Mrs. John Mutz and Mrs. June Blagg. The choir will sing the anthem, "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go," by Edgerton. A quartet will sing, "Like as a Father." It will be sung by Richard Nelson, Harriet Miller, Alice Nelson, and Carl Leroy Fisher.

12,000 Pipes in Organ for U. S. Cathedral

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—Thousands of electro magnets and hundreds of miles of wire are included in the first section of the massive organ—one of the largest in the world—built here for St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City.

The first section of the organ, shipped recently from St. Louis, required four freight cars. Other sections will follow.

The completed instrument will contain 12,000 pipes. It will have a special string section to give the effect of a large choir of violins, cellos and violas. Virtually every basic metal has gone into the construction of the instrument, as well as the hides of hundred of calves and chamois.

First Church of Christ Scientist.

Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist, on South Main street, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock:

Lesson subject, "Spirit."

Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.

Reading rooms in church building open every Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Sunday School Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to these services and to visit the reading rooms.

TO OBSERVE LINCOLN DAY

HOPKINS METHODISTS PLAN A SPECIAL SERVICE.

JUDGE OTIS TO SPEAK

Entire Nodaway County Bar and Court Officials Invited to Attend February 12.

An observance of Lincoln's birthday, with an address by Federal Judge Merrill E. Otis as the principal featrue, is being planned for the night of Sunday, February 12, at the Methodist Church in Hopkins, according to the Rev. J. Howard Thompson, pastor.

Judge Otis, now of Kansas City, was born and reared on a farm near Hopkins.

He will be introduced by Judge John M. Dawson of Maryville, and the entire Nodaway County, Bar Association and court officials have been invited. Judge Dawson will preside.

A. J. Gordon has been appointed head usher and will select as many helpers as he may need. Seats will be reserved for the bar association and the court attaches, who include Sheriff Lowell B. Campbell and Circuit Clerk W. R. Tilson.

REV. J. H. THOMPSON

Pastor of M. E. Church at Hopkins, who has arranged a special Lincoln's Birthday service for Sunday night, February 12.

The address of Judge Otis is expected to attract a large audience, and the affair also will be in the nature of a homecoming for him. He attended the public schools of the county and was graduated from the Hopkins high school, later entering and graduating from the University of Missouri.

The distinguished visitor also will have an opportunity to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Otis, who live still on the farm on which the future jurist was born. Mr. and Mrs. Otis have remained there continuously with the exception of two years spent in the Black Hills region of South Dakota.

In a recent biographical sketch which Judge Otis wrote of his parents, he said:

"Newton Otis, since his return from Dakota, has not left his farm for any other vocation, and when these lines are written, in all the community around, he holds the record for the longest continuous occupancy of the same household."

Question Box to Be Feature of Methodist Evening Service

The Sunday evening service at the Methodist Episcopal Church will be called "The Question Box." The subjects discussed will be determined by the questions asked by the congregation. Each question will be read and as far as the time permits, will be given a three minute answer.

Questions may be mailed to the pastor or dropped into the collection plate Sunday night. They need not be signed. The frankest kind of inquiry is invited and all questions will be discussed fairly and courteously, the Rev. W. S. Woodhull announces. Some very interesting inquiries have already been handed in, he said.

There will be the usual music, an anthem by the choir, a solo by Kenney Tebow, and a song by the girls chorus.

The sermon topic for the Sunday morning service will be the first in the series on "Nameless Men," to be given on the four Sunday mornings in this month. The four subjects will be as follows: "The Man Who Won a Debate," "Those Who Tore Up a Roof," "The Friend Who Loaned a Room," and "An Official Who Didn't Kill Himself." Honorable mention will be made of any persons who will tell the pastor who these men were before the first sermon begins.

At the morning service the choir will sing Mendelssohn's "I Waited For The Lord," from the 42nd Psalm. Mrs. Bess Thorp and Bernahrdt Bronson will sing the duet.

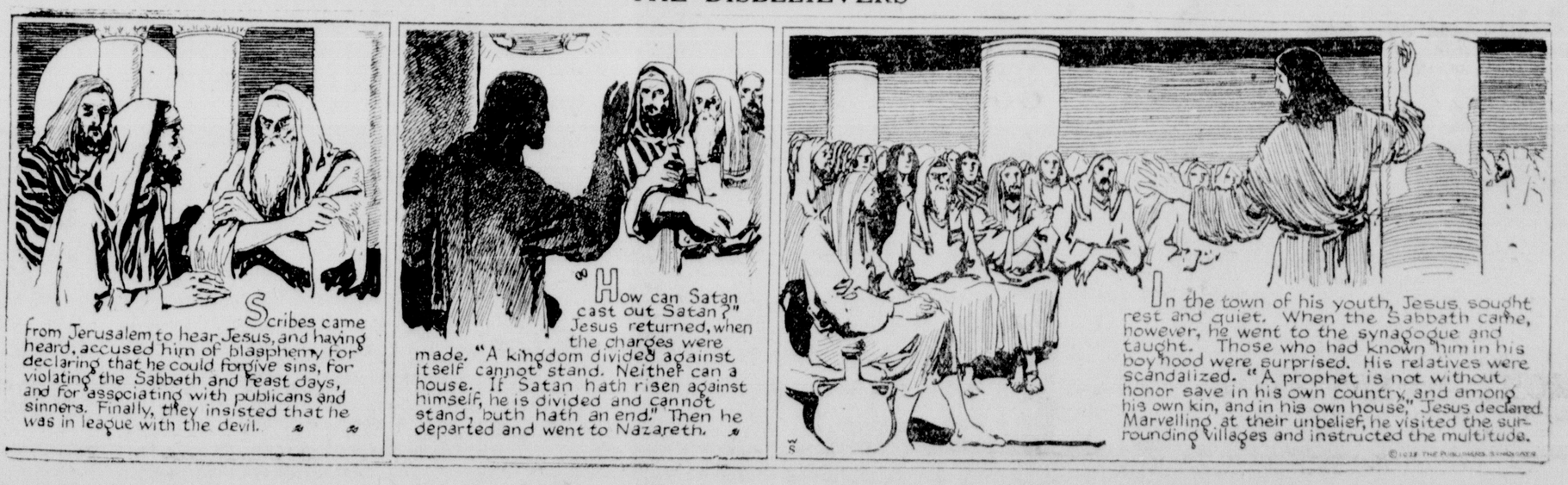
The evening topics for the month will be: February 5, Question Box; February 12, "The Poets' Lincoln"; February 19, "American Ideals," in observance of Washington's birthday; February 26, sermon by Dr. E. L. Robison. During the month there will be special musical numbers by the choir the childrens chorus, and The Temple Orchestra. The last Sunday evening the women will present a pageant, "The Ten Virgins."

The Children's church will meet at the church hour in the auditorium for the five-minute story sermon by the Rev. Mr. Woodhull on "The Boy Who Gave Away His Lunch." Then the children will march to their own rooms, in two sections, for their separate services directed by Mrs. Guy Haller and Mrs. C. C. Leeson. All children under 12 years of age are invited.

Special numbers for Children's Church will be a reading by Mary Margaret Hartness, a story by Elizabeth Woodhull, and the signing of the

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON : : : : : By Harlowe R. Hoyt and Walter Scott

THE DISBELIEVERS


Scribes came from Jerusalem to hear Jesus, and having heard, accused him of blasphemy for declaring that he could forgive sins, for violating the Sabbath and feast days, and for associating with publicans and sinners. Finally, they insisted that he was in league with the devil.
"How can Satan cast out Satan?" Jesus returned, when the charges were made. "A kingdom divided against itself cannot stand. Neither can a house. If Satan hath risen against himself, he is divided and cannot stand, buth hath an end." Then he departed and went to Nazareth.
In the town of his youth, Jesus sought rest and quiet. When the Sabbath came, however, he went to the synagogue and taught. Those who had known him in his boyhood were surprised. His relatives were scandalized. "A prophet is not without honor save in his own country, and among his own kin, and in his own house," Jesus declared. Marvelling at their unbelief, he visited the surrounding villages and instructed the multitude.

The Blazing Horizon

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by ERNEST LYNN

THE STORY THUS FAR

The story is laid in the Indian territory and along the Kansas border in the '80's, when a fight was being waged for the opening of the territory to settlement.

Chief characters are:

TONY HARRISON, orphaned at 13 when his father was shot in a poker game;

PAWNEE BILL, adventurer, teacher, Indian interpurter, showman;

JOE CRAIG, who takes Tony to the Bar K ranch to live;

TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K brand;

RITA, his little tomboy daughter.

Some years later, when Rita and her mother depart for the east and a finishing school, the boy learns for the first time how much he cares for Titus Moore's red-haired, arrogant daughter.

Moore is one of the chief opponents of the movement to open Oklahoma. Word is received that DAVID PAYNE, leader of the movement is dead, and Tony, in his loyalty to Moore, is troubled because of his sympathy for Payne's cause.

He tries to forget Rita Moore and accompanies Pawnee Bill and BUFFALO BILL on a wild west show tour. When he returns, Rita comes back for a visit and Tony is forlorn in the knowledge of his hopeless love for her. Finally, in desperation, he declares his love for her. When she tearfully admits she is engaged to another, he leaves the ranch and disappears.

A letter from Craig, forwarded by Pawnee Bill, finally reaches him in Chicago and he learns that Rita has promised herself to another man to please her mother, who is an invalid. He is miserable, but harshly resentful toward Rita.

When Pawnee Bill organizes his own wild west show, Tony goes with it and in Washington he and another cowboy go on a spree and rope a cigar store Indian and drag it down Pennsylvania avenue.

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Joe Stevens swung his own rope, let out a loud "Whoopee!" and the two of them rode down Pennsylvania avenue at a gallop, dragging the heavy, cumbersome thing behind them.

It rattled and banged as they progressed widely through the street, threatening disaster to the innumerable carriages they passed and provoking loud and joyous cries from amazed spectators on the sidewalks.

A mounted man in uniform heard the shouting, spied them and galloped in pursuit. Tony Harrison saw him over his shoulder and shouted at Stevens. "Don't forget to tell him about your brother-in-law, Joe."

"Hell with him," Stevens said contemptuously. "I'm aimin to scalp this Indian right on the White House lawn."

At Fourteenth street two roundsmen caught sight of the strange spectacle and joined in the chase. One of them succeeded in getting hold of the wooden Indian, but a sudden jerk of the rope pulled him flat. Above the shouting arose the piercing notes of police whistles. Traffic was confused and nervous horses shied and reared.

Sanity returned to Tony Harrison at that moment. "Here's where we surrender," he called to Stevens and pulled up on Cherokee. "It was a good fight while it lasted," he grinned, for the other was making signs of dissent. "but we're outnumbered."

They halted and pulled up alongside the curb. Immediately they were surrounded by an excited mob and an irate and breathless policeman put authoritative hands on their bridles. Tony, smiling sheepishly, looked about him. Everywhere, save on the faces of the policemen, were cheerful grins. Washington, if it had been shocked, at least had been amused.

"Anyway," Joe Stevens was saying loudly, for the benefit of the gendarmes whom he was regarding with a disdainful eye, "we showed the old town more excitement than she's seen in a coon's age."

But Tony did not hear him. He was staring after an open carriage that had just passed, and his heart was doing strange tricks inside him.

A man and a girl were in the carriage, the man pointing to the amusing spectacle of two drunken cowboys tying up Pennsylvania avenue traffic, the girl, her cheeks flaming scarlet, staring straight ahead of her.

"Rita!" Tony exclaimed in a hoarse whisper, and instantly was cold sober. The man he had never seen before; but he was a young man, and handsome in a waxed mustache, and Tony could guess. He could only continue to stare, dumbly, his mouth gaping. . . . .

He was aware presently of an irritable voice shouting in his ear—a policeman asking for his name. Joe Stevens was saying expansively to the outraged arms of the law, "Boys, it's all right; John Nolan's my brother-in-law."

"And who in hell's John Nolan?" the sergeant of police wanted to know.

"Why, the bartender. Runs the saloon down there at the foot of Capitol Hill." He jerked a thumb eastward.

The seargeant snorted contemptuously and Stevens' faith in his brother-in-law's influence began to trickle away like water from a leaky pan. "Don't you know him?" he asked weakly.

"Sure. I know every bartender in town, but all of them put together couldn't keep you two little boys out of jail. Here's the wagon now; come along."

Pawnee Bill bailed them out that night. Tony Harrison told him disgustedly, "I've taken my last drink."

"I'd at least limit myself to maybe four or five at a time," Pawnee Bill said, his eyes twinkling.

"I said I was through. I made a fool of myself." His pride was hurt. That Rita, above all persons, should have seen him under such disgraceful circumstances. . . .

"Probably her husband with her," he thought. "More than likely she's married by now."

The magistrate the next morning was inclined to be friendly. He listened privately to some words from Pawnee Bill and let Tony and Stevens off with light fines.

"But you'll have to buy the tobacco leader a new Indian. The old one"—turning an amused eye toward the silent "evidence" beside the bench—"looks more thoroughly subdued. He is somewhat lacking in spirit. Harrison, I had the pleasure of seeing you perform in Pawnee Bill's show. As an evidence of my appreciation, I am giving you the minimum punishment. But the next time you go on the war path don't tie up traffic."

The show proceeded to New Jersey. At Gloucester a combination was formed with Buckskin Bill's show, the star performer of which was Annie Oakley, the famous woman rifle shot.

"We'll have to put you in the background a little bit," Pawnee Bill told Tony. "You can cut out your shooting act. Although Annie Oakley never saw the day that she could pull a trigger with you, she's got a big reputation, and besides she's a woman. I hope you won't mind."

Tony assured him he would not. The combined show performed at fairs through the state, and although it drew good crowds it lost money because of unfavorable contracts with the fair grounds people. Then the weather got bad; day after day rain spoiled their plans and the money drained out of their little treasury.

Hoping for a change in luck, Buckskin Bill withdrew from the partnership and Pawnee Bill and Charlie Southwell once more proceeded on their own. But the rain continued and fall found them in Maryland desperately trying to recoup their losses in the small towns.

"There's a Jonah around some place," Pawnee Bill said and shook his head sadly.

"Maybe it's me," Tony told him pessimistically.

The older man contrived to laugh. "You're sure been downhearted ever since that little scrape in Washington. I never saw a man get so remorseful over a little jag."

The young man's eyes clouded. "I learned some sense," he said and spat into the rain.

They would play Easton the next day. Pawnee Bill informed him. "And if we don't make some money there we smash. We're broke, and I'm about two thousand in debt to you, between back salary and what I've borrowed."

He shouldn't let that worry him, Tony said. "I feel this thing as much as you do. Another year, with better luck, and you'd clean up. We'll hope for sunshine in Easton."

But in Easton they found more rain and an attachment by the sheriff. The show lacked railroad fare to move on to another town; it lacked money to pay the board bills of its performers.

"Even my trunk's been attached," said Pawnee Bill cheerlessly. "The show business so far has been a complete bust. I'm going to the postoffice to see if anybody still thinks enough of me to write."

"I'll go with you. If the sheriff sees me hanging around this tent he might attach me, too."

The postmaster handed Pawnee Bill two letters. They ducked out and ran across the street to the shelter of the little train shed. There Pawnee Bill settled himself comfortably on a baggage truck and turned his attention to his mail while Tony gazed disconsolately into the drizzle of rain.

"This one's for you, Tony. From Joe Craig, I reckon." He had torn open one of the envelopes to find a sealed one enclosed. Tony slowly ripped it open. At that moment he felt downright sorry for Joe Craig—for the way he had treated him. "Might have written to him anyway," he murmured, and then stared unbelievingly at the words Craig had penned.

Mrs Moore was dead . . . twenty-fifth of September . . . buried near Manassas, in the family cemetery. . . Rita and her father in Virginia. . .

He was profoundly shocked, and for the first time since parting with Rita in a blaze of anger, he felt the full measure of his sympathy go out to her. He turned once more to the letter.

"We're still waiting for you to come back, Tony. Anyway, write. Things are right lonesome on the Bar K."

He could well imagine that was true. He turned to the man beside him, but Pawnee Bill, a faraway look in his eyes, was staring into the rain, the open letter dangling in his hand.

Tony said softly, "Did you get bad news, too, Bill?"

The long-haired man appeared not to have heard him. When he spoke he said, "Tony, maybe there is such a thing as destiny, after all. This letter's from the Chamber of Commerce of Wichita. They want me to head up the Boomers, perfect an organization and take them into Oklahoma. The letter finds me without funds, without a job, without prospects. If that isn't fate," he breathed, half to himself, "what is it? Tony, I'm going, and I'm asking you to go with me."

(To Be Continued)

They go to Wichita, where Pawnee Bill finds a great reception, where the one topic of conversation is the unopened land to the south.

Rest of Highway 69 Will Be Paved Soon

To Give All-Weather Route to Des Moines—News From Conception and Guilford.

Conception Junction.—The remainder of the dirt road on federal highway No. 69, next to the Iowa line, will be given all-weather surface, either concrete, gravel or oil. This strip of about three miles will connect Missouri concrete with Iowa pavement when the latter is laid this summer, and when completed will make an all-weather road from St. Joseph to Des Moines by way of Stanberry, Albany and Bethany.

A tractor demonstration was held at Proctor's hardware Thursday. Quite a number of farmers were interested enough to attend. Hot coffee and biscuits baked in a gas stove were served.

A social meeting of the Knights of Columbus and their wives and ladies was held Thursday evening. Music was furnished by "Peek's Bad Boys" orchestra and the evening spent in cards and dancing. Lunch was served.

Cornelius McManus went to Brookfield, Mo., Wednesday to visit his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Downey.

The young people's sodality of Holy Family church are practicing a play entitled "Deuteronomy," to be given February 12 and 14 at the Holy Family parochial school auditorium.

A basketball game between Stanberry and the Conception All Stars Wednesday night was won by Stanberry. The score was 43 to 16.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brady, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farnan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brady, Marguerite and Stephen Brady were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Billy Brady Sunday.

A party of friends were entertained at the home of Jake Wonderly Sunday evening in honor of Miss Helen Wonderly. The evening was spent in playing games and music, after which a delicious lunch was served.

"The Red Raiders" picture show was given at Conception parish hall, Sunday evening. Next Sunday evening "Tillie the Toiler" will be shown.

GUILFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. John Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Campbell were calling on Jack McLean Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Giffin and family visited with Geo. E. Martin and family Sunday.

Pete Peterson attended the Martin Jensen sale Monday afternoon.

Melvin Weatherman and Velda Carter, Pleasant View pupils, were absent from school Monday.

Mrs. Virgil Laughlin and children visited with Mrs. Stagg Monday.

Miss Nettie Whorton helped the Beggs girls to paper Saturday.

Play Games for Use of Correct English

WHITE LILY.—The primary language classes have been playing a game of hide and seek. This game grew out of the story of the "Old, Old Woman and the Boy that was Half Past Three" and gives practice in use of correct English, especially to eleminate "ain't." In science the primary class has taken up the study of the tree dwellers.

A hygiene class gave a practical demonstration of resuscitation Friday.

"The Spirit of White Lily" carried the members of B geography class to the water power sources of the northwest Thursday.

Mrs. Ab Dawson visited school Thursday afternoon.

OUT OUR WAY. By Williams

AH CURLY, THAT DELIGHTFUL SMELL OF PINES! THE EXHILARATING AIR, THE REFRESHING STREAMS. IT ALL THRILLS ME. I NEVER HEAR YOU ENTHUSE OVER SUCH THINGS. NATURE SEEMS TO HAVE MADE US ALL SO DIFFERENT.
YES, SORTER BALANCES THINGS. EF YOU WAS LIKE ME YUH COULD TAKE A DRINK AN' TELL EF IT WAS A HERD O' GOATS STANDIN' IN TH' WATER A MILE UP CREEK OR BIG ICK WASHIN' HIS OVERALLS. AN' EF I WAS LIKE YOU I WOULDN' DRINK IT. SO THERE YUH ARE.
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By JEAN MACON

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product for only 75 cents, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

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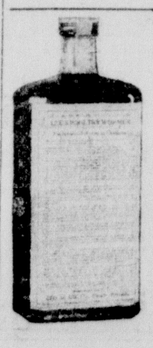

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CLOSING OUT SALE

of my entire herd of Dairy Cows, 12 head of horses, some hogs, and all my farm equipment, at farm adjoining Clarinda, Ia., on the east, known as the Crabill farm, on Primary No. 3 on

TUESDAY, FEB. 7, 1928

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DAIRY COWS—26 head, 18 of them fresh cows, 2 heavy springers, the balance to be fresh later. The breeding of this offering is Holstein, Jersey and Shorthorns. I have been selling milk for the past six years, and during that time have culled out all poor producers, having nothing but heavy producers left. Some are giving as much as 6 gallons a day. No heavier producing lot of cows will be sold this year. Milk test will be given sale day. All T. B. tested.

TERMS CASH. Lunch on ground.

BEN WHITE, Owner.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I have decided to quit farming, I will sell the following property at the Fred Haller farm, half mile south and one and one-half miles west of Wilcox on

Monday, February 6, 1928

11:00 a. m.

HORSES—12 head of horses; team geldings, 8 and 9 years old, weight about 3200; black mare, 8 years old, weight 1600; bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1400; black mare, 4 years old, weight 1600; black horse, 3 years old, weight 1600; yearling horse colt; bay mare, smooth mouth, weight 1300; grey team, smooth mouth horses, weight 3000; black team horses, 8 and 9 years old, weight 2700.

HOGS—Two brood sows, to farrow first of May and 6 fall shoats; 1 Hampshire boar.

SHEEP—Six head of native ewes, to lamb in March and one native buck.

GRAIN—1500 bushels of corn in crib, 8 tons of good alfalfa hay, 6 tons of good timothy hay, 150 bushels oats.

IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons; 1 wagon and rack; 1 John Deere high wagon and box; 1 wagon box; 1 John Deere trench-guide lister, new; 1 P. & O. gang plow; one 2-row Bailor cultivator; 1 International single row cultivator; Avery disc; one 2-section harrow; one 14-inch plow; 1 Oliver 12-inch gang plow; 1 New Century 6-shovel cultivator; 1 Busy Bee 6-shovel cultivator; 3 sets harness; 1 wagon; 2 sets work harness; 1 cream separator and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash or see your banker.

CLARK LAMBERT

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. Gus Shell, Clerk.

Lunch by Wilcox Rebekahs.

CLOSING OUT SALE

As I have decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction, 9 miles south of Maryville on pavement, 3 miles west and 2 miles north of Barnard, ½ mile north Pumpkin Center, on

Thursday, February 9

commencing at 10 o'clock the following property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES—White horse, coming 8 years old, weight 1500 lbs; bay mare 9 years old, weight 1400; pair work mules, weight 2400; coming 2-year-old horse colt.

4 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 head of milk cows, exceptionally good ones, (3 Jerseys).

74 HEAD OF HOGS—4 brood sows; 70 head shoats, weighing from 80 to 100 lbs.

IMPLEMENTS—All in good shape: 2 wagons, high wheel and low wheel wagon with rack; 3 riding cultivators; gang plow; riding combine Rock Island lister; one 2-row go-devil; John Deere 14-16 disc; John Deere walking lister, combine; 2 stirring plows; mowing machine; hay rake; Fordson tractor and plow in good shape; corn sheller; feed grinder; 3-section harrow; 2 sets good heavy Concord work harness; DeLaval separator in good condition; 7 good individual chicken coops; hog chutes; barrel vinegar; heating stove.

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FOR RENT—Modern house, 304 South Walnut.—Call Hanamo 439.

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For Sale

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LOTS FOR SALE 48

FOR SALE—Splendid building lot on new pavement, well located.—Call Hanamo 3235.

Skidmore

Mr. and Hrs. Martin Riley of Maitland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weddle, jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hays were in Elmo Sunday visiting the farmer's sister, Mrs. Laura Alexander, who is ill.

Jasper Buntin left Tuesday for a several days visit in Shenandoah, Ia.

Mrs. Allan Murray returned Saturday from the funeral of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Early of Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Early is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Early of Skidmore.

The Fred Sutterlin family were stopped from an orderly return home from church by the giving out of the machinery of the hitherto trusty Ford. Most of them walked home and were at church again at night. We guess the lumber wagon did duty this time.

Lloyd Latta developed fever and other symptoms of influenza Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs David White.

I. D. Owens of Everton, Mo., and J. T. Owens, his father, of Graham, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs Wayne McGinniss. I. D. Owens, a nephew of Mrs. McGinniss and O. D. Kennedy and family were also guests.

The Federated Sunday School class of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. Herman Rueff, who with Mrs. O. R. Kenaday and Mrs. J. V. Hawk were hostesses. A literary program of stunts was mixed with social and refreshment activities. The date of future meetings will come on the third Tuesday of each month instead of the fourt' Tuesday. Mrs. J. C. Spahr will entertain for the next social session of this class. There were present the following twenty-seven women: Mrs. Fred Barber, Mrs. Clyde Barrett, Mrs. J. V. Hawk, Mrs. P. Hays, Mrs. M. Gray, Mrs. J. L. Kellogg, Mrs. O. R. Kenaday, Mrs. M. Loucks, Mrs. Laura Littler, Mrs. Ruby Linville, Mrs. Nora Lowrance, Mrs. E. C. McClurg, Mrs. David Mitchell, Mrs. H. W. Montgomery, Mrs. A. L. Oakerson, Mrs. Geo. Porter, Mrs. W. H. Saunders, Mrs. Wm. Sollars, Mrs. Ray Strickler, Mrs. Mary Reese, Mrs. H. Rueff, Mrs. Jane Whitmer, Mrs. D. White, Mrs. J. W. Weddle, sr., Mrs. H. Worl, Mrs. J. C. Spahr.

Mrs. Jane Whitmer reported in Monday from her visit in St. Joseph, and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Loucks for the present.

The Rev. J. H. Fanning of Quitman called upon the Rev. J. V. Hawk between trains Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Fred Gill arrived from Arvada, Wyo., to visit Mrs. Lydia Manchester Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Joseph Lehman, with Dorris and JoEtta, went to Clarinda, Wednesday morning, where the family will make their home. Mr. Lehman drove through with his car.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gordon of Graham are parents of Donald Lee, born Friday, January 2. Mrs. Gordon is well known in Skidmore, a niece of Mrs. Wayne McGinniss.

Mrs. Herman Rueff fell down her cellar stairs last week and suffered some bruises and shock but no serious injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMahan had the H. W. Montgomery and Mark Loucks families for dinner Sunday, including Miss McCloud and Miss Couch, teacher in the High School.

Mike Williams came home Saturday from Fairfax, Mo., where he had been employed in the print shop.

Mrs. Ralston McClain is visiting home folks for a time from Birmingham, Ala. Mr. McClain is teaching in Birmingham and all are pleased with the work and the climate.

Dr. Christie was unable to preach the opening sermon Sunday night of the revival series of meetings. J. V. Hawk of the M. E. Church supplied the voice and message. Mr. Christie was fit enough except that a cold created a "frog" in his throat which made articulation well night impossible.

Marion Smock, who has been taking a vacation from his California climate during the past month among his many relatives and friends in Skidmore, took the train for Colorado Springs, Colo., Tuesday afternoon. On the same train was Earl Hester returning to his home in Manhattan, Mont., after a stay of several weeks following his mother's funeral.

Robert Armstrong has had a week of bronchial cold which has kept this active little chap indoors for more than a week.

Kenneth Rueff is having his share of indisposition. A skin affection is keeping him pretty well at home, and entirely from school for many days.

Fifty new song books were recently added to the supply of "Hymns" of Praise No. 2," belonging to the M. E. Church.

Milt Sewell is reported as doing as well as could be expected considering the conditions in the case. There have been no unfavorable reactions and his response to hospital and medical attention is all that could be expected.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Butter receipts 7,181; extras, 46c; extra firsts, 44¼c to 45c; firsts, 41½c to 43c; seconds, 38c to 40½c; standards, 45¾c to 50c.

Eggs, receipts, 10,244; firsts, 34½c to 35c; ordinaries, 30c to 32c; seconds, 30c to 31c.

Cheese: Twins, 26c; young Americas, 27¾c.

Poultry receipts 5 cars; fowls, 23½c to 25c; springs, 27c; ducks, heavy, 25c; small, 20c; geese, 20c; turkeys, 25c to 28c; roosters, 20c.

Potatoes: Arrivals 87 cars; on track, 178; in transit, 800. Wisconsin Burbanks, No. 1, $1.55 to $1.65; few fancy hade higher; commercial, $1.35 to $1.45; new Florida, supplies exhausted, demand good. Sweet potatoes, $1 to $2.65.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 3.—Hogs 8,000; 5 to 10c lower; top, $8.20; bulk 160 to 240 pounds, $8 to $8.15; 250-300 pounds, $7.85 to $7.95; packing sows steady.

Cattle 500; calves 100; few warmed up steers around $11.50, steady; fat she stock steady to weak; bulls about steady; vealers firm; stockers and feeders dull at week's decline.

Sheep 4,000; fat lambs strong; desirable 83 to 89 pounds fed westerns topped at $14.35; aged stock firm; fat ewe top, $8.25.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—Hogs 5,000; steady to 10 cents lower than Thursday's average. Top, $8.20 on 150 to 220 pounds. 250-350, $7.70 to $8; 200-250, $7.85 to $8.20; 160-200, $7.90 to $8.20; 150-160, $7.75 to $8.20; 90-130, $7 to $7.50; packing sows, $6.50 to $7.50.

Cattle 250; calves 250; supply insufficient to test values. Beef steers, $11.50 to $12.65.

Sheep 4,000; generally steady; spots higher. Top fat lambs, $14.60; bulk fat lambs, $14 to $14.55.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK.

Omaha, Feb. 3.—Cattle, receipts, 1,200 head; market steady to strong; yearlings, $10 to $15; steers, $10.50 to $17; cows and heifers, $5.25 to $12.50; stockers and feeders, $8 to $13.50; calves, $7 to $13; bulls and stags, $7.50 to $9.50; rangers blank.

Hogs, Receipts, 15,000 head; market 10 to 15c lower; bulk of sales, $7.75 to $8.; top, $8.05.

Sheep, Receipts, 6,000 head; market steady; yearlings, $10 to $12; feeder lambs, $11 to $14.35; fat lambs, $10.50 to $14.50; fat ewes, $5 to $8.25.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

East St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Hogs 22,000; holdovers 4,109; market 10c lower; 250 to 350, $7.90 to $8.25; 200 to 250, $8.15 to $8.35; 160 to 200, $8.25 to $8.50; 150 to 160, $7.25 to $8.50; 90 to 130, $6.70 to $7.75. Packing sows $6.75 to $7.25.

Cattle 750; calves 350; market, steers nominal. Beef steers, $10.25 to $14; light yearling steers and heifers $8.50 to $10.50; beef cows $7 to $9.50; low cutters, cutter cows $5 to $6.50; vealers $16.25 to $16.50; heavy calves $7.50 to $10.50; bulk stockers, feeders $9.50 to $10.50.

Sheep 750; market nominal. Top fat lambs $14.50; bulk fat lambs $14 to $14.50; bulk cull lambs $10 to $11; bulk fat ewes $6.75 to $7.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

By Department of Agriculture

Cattle, 2,000; draggy; steers supply scarce; demand very narrow on kinds of value to sell at $14 upward; she stock weak; common cows and cutters 10 to 15c lower; bulls firm; vealers steady to 25c down, mostly steady. Fed steers $12 to $13. Few loads, $14; most low cutter cows, $5.50 to $5.75; weighty sausage bulls, $8 to $8.25; only outsiders offered above $8.25; light vealers, $14 to $15; shippers and small killers, $16; few, $17.

Sheep, 14,000; fat lambs active, largely to local market, strong; spots 15 to 25c higher than Thursday. Top, $15.25 to traders; bulk better grade lambs 90 pounds down, $14.75 to $15; nothing done on Colorados; few 99 to 107 pound yearlings, $13.75; sheep strong; good fat ewes, $8 to $8.25; feeding lambs strong to shade higher; better grade 63 to 70 pound lambs, $14 to $14.25.

Receipts, 52,000; fairly active to shippers; traders and small local packers around steady; practical top, $8.40; part load, $8.45; others held at that price and above; bulk desirable hogs of 170 to 210 pounds, $8.30 to $8.40; 190 to 200 pounds, $8.15 to $8.30; 80 to 140 pounds, $8.10 to $8.30; pigs mostly $7.25 to $7.75; spots 25c higher; most packing sows, $7.25 to $7.50.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—Wheat 100; market, hard unchanged. Red: No. 2 hard, $1.25 to $1.68; No. 3 hard, $1.21 to $1.67; No. 2 red, $1.43 to $1.48; No. 3 red, $1.35 to $1.45.

Corn: 202; unchanged to ½c higher. No. 2 mixed, 80c to 81½c; No. 3 mixed, 78¾c to 81c; No. 2 yellow, 82¼c to 83c; No. 3 yellow, 80c to 82c; No. 2 white, 81c to 81¾c.

Oats: 7 market unchanged. No. 2 white, nominal, 56c to 58½c; No. 2 red, nominal, blank; rye, No. 2, nominal, $1.02. Barley, No. 3, nominal, 83c to 86c; kafir, No. 2, nominal, $1.34 to $1.36; No. 3 nominal, $1.33 to $1.35; No. 4, nominal, $1.32 to $1.34; milo, No. 2, nominal, $1.49 to $1.51; No. 3, nominal, $1.48 to $1.50; No. 4, nominal, $1.46 to $1.48; prairie, No. 1, $9.50 to $11; alfalfa, choice, $21 to $23.50; timothy, No. 1, $11.50 to $12.50.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Wheat: No. 3 red $1.44 to $1.50; No. 1 hard $1.33½; No. 2 hard $1.33.

Corn: No. 2 white 87; No. 3 white 86; No. 4 white 83½ to 84.

Oats: No. 2 white 58; No. 3 white 56 to 57.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Wheat—					
Mar.	1.29¼	1.29⅝	1.29¼	1.29¼	1.29½
May	1.29⅝	1.30⅛	1.29⅝	1.29⅞	1.30
July	1.27	1.27½	1.27	1.27¼	1.27½
CORN—					
Mar.	.88⅛	.88⅞	.88⅛	.88¾	.88⅝
May	.90⅝	.91⅜	.90⅝	.91⅛	.90¾
July	.92¼	.92⅞	.92⅛	.92⅝	.92⅜
OATS—					
Mar.	.54⅜	.54⅝	.54⅜	.54½	.54½
May	.55¼	.55½	.55¼	.55⅜	.55¼
July	.51⅜	.51⅝	.51⅜	.51⅝	.51⅜
LARD—					
Feb.	Nominal			11.22	11.35
May	11.70	11.70	11.57	11.57	11.72
July	11.92	11.95	11.80	11.80	11.97
RIBS—					
May	11.35	11.35	11.32	11.32	11.40

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Wheat: No. 1 hard, $1.32; No. 2 hard, $1.31 to $1.31½; 3 hard, $1.30.

Corn: No. 3 yellow, 90c to 91½c; 4 yellow, 84c to 87c; 5 yellow, 80c to 85c; 6 yellow, 77c to 81½c; 4 mixed, 84c to 86c; 5 mixed, 80c to 81c; 6 mixed, 76c to 77c; 4 white, 83c to 87c; 5 white, 82½c; to 84c; 6 white, 75c to 78½c; sample grade, 60c to 76c.

Oats: 2 white, 56½c to 58c; 3 white, 54c to 56½c; 4 white, 53½c to 57c.

Rye: No. 4, $1.08½ to $1.09¾.

Barley: 89c to 96c.

Timothy: $3.10 to $3.85.

Clover: $20.75 to $28.50.

Final Grain Review.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—All grains rallied from lower openings and held surprisingly strong on the Chicago board of trade today, in the face of news largely bearish.

Corn and wheat lost much of their strength during the final hour, wheat closing slightly under yesterday's final figures. Wheat closed 1-8 to ¼ lower; corn ¼ to 3-8 higher and oats unchanged to ⅛c higher. Provisions finished sharply lower.

Wheat took an early decline on sharply lower liverpool cables. New Argentine and Australian shipments are beginning to arrive in European ports and the bearish world supply is beginning to exert pressure at all points. Some export business was reported, however, and around mid-session corn's strength began to be reflected in wheat sentiment. The result was a good rally. Canadian offerings were freer according to reports from there. Receipts here were 19 cars and the cash market held unchanged.

Corn declined slightly just after the opening on wheat's weakness and continued fair belt weather. The seaboard, however, reported exports of approximately 200,000 bushels and this news firmed the tone. All losses were regained and prices advanced rapidly above the previous close. Receipts continued heavy at 494 cars and the cash market was steady to ⅜c lower.

Oats advanced with corn, gaining a small fraction. Southwest points bought some Chicago oats. Receipts were 58 cars and the cash market was ¼c up.

Provisions rallied and advanced.

New York Produce.

New York, Feb. 3.—Flour steady and unchanged.

Pork dull; mess $32.00.

Lard weaker; midwest spot $11.75 to $11.85.

Sugar, raw, quiet; 96 test delivered duty paid $4.24; refined quiet; granulated $5.70.

Coffee, Rio No. 7 on spot 14¾; Santos No. 4 21¾ to 22¼.

Tallow quiet, special 8 5-8 to 8¾.

Hay dull, No. 1 $1.10; No. 3 80 to 95; clover 70 to $1.05.

Dressed poultry quiet; turkeys 30 to 50; chickens 18 to 37; capons 32 to 50; fowls 18 to 31; ducks 18 to 22; Long Island ducks 20 to 24.

Live poultry quiet; geese 14 to 26; ducks 16 to 33; fowls 28 to 30; turkeys 30 to 50; roosters 18; chickens 22 to 32; capons 30 to 40; broilers 30 to 45.

Cheese quiet; state whole milk fancy to special 29 to 29½; Young Americas 29 to 29½.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—Eggs, 32½c to 33c; hens, 20c; rest unchanged.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Eggs, 36½, selected, 38½; butter, 49; hens, 22; broilers, 32; turkeys, young toms, 33; ducks, 18; geese, 14.

LOCAL MARKET.

Eggs, per doz. 25c
(Held Eggs 6c less)
Cream, per lb. 42c
Roosters, per lb. 6c
Heavy Hens, per lb. 18c
Light Hens, per lb. 13c
Heavy Springs, per lb. 16c
Leghorn Springs, per lb. 13c
Ducks, per lb. 14c
Hides, per lb. 12c

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: The Vigil

I COULD HAVE SOLD A FEW MORE PAPERS BUT I HAD TO LEAVE TH' STAND AN' COME HOME IN TIME TO GIVE HELEN HER MEDICINE ON TH' DOT AN GET TH' TWINS AN' TH' BABY PUT TO BED-
HERE YUH GO, HELEN- BOTTOMS UP- DOC SAYS YOU'RE COMIN' ALONG FINE- JUST KEEP TAKIN' YER MEDICINE AND YOU'LL COME OUT GREAT-
I'D GO TO BED BUT I DON'T FEEL LIKE SLEEPIN'- WITH HELEN SO BAD I'M WORRIED NUTTY- WHAT IF SOMETHING SHOULD HAPPEN TO HER? AN' ANYWAY I'VE GOTTA SEE SHE GETS HER MEDICINE IN TH' NIGHT- I MIGHT NOT WAKE UP-
WELL, SANDY- IT'S GETTIN' DAYLIGHT- AND I HAVEN'T CLOSED AN EYE- BUT WHEN SOME ONE YUH CARE FOR IS AWFUL SICK AN' YUH CAN'T GO TO SLEEP YUH SURE HAVE A CHANCE TO DO A HEAP O' THINKIN' 'BOUT LOTS O' THINGS-
HAROLD GRAY

BEARS DEFEAT THE BEARCATS

SPRINGFIELD WINS 49 TO 36 GAME THERE.

HEDGES BACK TO FORM

Maryville Forward Connects With BASKET FOR 19 POINTS—Both Teams Nervous at the Start.

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 3. (Special).—It begins to look like a Springfield year.

The Southwest Teachers defeated the Maryville Bearcats here last night, 49 to 36, in an M. I. A. A. conference game, placing the Ozark Teachers another notch closer to championship honors. The Northwest Teachers, the most dreaded rivals of Coach Andy McDonald's men because in the last two years they have upset the title aspirations of Springfield, were downed in a game filled with spectacular plays and brilliant shots.

The game saw Orville Hedges, Maryville's scoring ace, coming back into his old form. His shooting, which has been off form in previous games this year, kept the Maryville basketeers within close range of the Bears. He was high-point man of the contest, making nineteen points. All his nine field goals were from long range.

The victory was the fourth conference win for Springfield in as many starts, while it put Maryville in fourth place in the Teachers College loop with two wins and three defeats. Both teams play here again tonight.

The Bears and Bearcats both appeared nervous at the start, but goals by Fox and Stark put Springfield in the lead, never to be headed. Hedges scored and it was 4-2 but the Bears increased the margin to 6-2. Then both teams counted, making the score 8 to 4. The Bearcats counted again and Hedges, who was getting "hot," knotted the score with a long shot. The Bears again pulled away but Ungles counted to make the score 11 to 10, the Bearcats trailing. This was the closest the score ever became during the rest of the tussle. The half ended 20 to 16 for Springfield.

In the second half Springfield got away to a commanding lead. Hedges, Burks and Harris played stellar games for the visitors, but Harris was put out on personal fouls.

Fox and Stark, Springfield forwards, led the Bears' scoring attack, but were ably assisted by Marshall, center. Coach McDonald used ten men in the Springfield line-up, using two different combinations against the Maryville eagers.

The game was played before a crowd that packed the gymnasium.

The Springfield players only made two more field goals than the visitors, but made the most of free throw attempts, scoring eleven points from the free-throw line while Maryville made only two attempts good.

The box score

Maryville	fg	ft	Springfield	fg	ft
Ungles, f	3	1	Fox, f	5	3
Davison, f	0	0	Robinson, f	2	0
Hedges, f	9	1	Stark, f	7	4
Burks, c	5	0	Thomas, f	0	1
McKee, c	0	0	Marshall, c	4	2
Harris, g	0	0	Roberts, c	0	0
Ferguson, g	0	0	Dodd, g & c	1	0
Iba, g	0	0	Talbott, g	0	0
	–	–	Clark, g	0	1
TOTAL	17	2	Tindall, g	0	0
				–	–
			TOTAL	19	11

Leslie Davis, K. U., referee.

Grant City Talks of Entering League

Hopkins and Maryville May Withdraw From Northwest Missouri Baseball Loop, Says Report.

The report is being circulated in Grant City that the baseball club of that place may join the Northwest Missouri Baseball League, replacing either Hopkins or Maryville, which may withdraw, according to the Worth County Tribune.

The Tribune said: "A meeting will be held soon of the managers of the eight clubs in the league, Bethany, Albany, Stanberry, Union Star, Hopkins, Maryville, King City and Gentry, to settle on the 1928 program. It is reported Hopkins and possibly Maryville will withdraw, Hopkins because of the great distance her team has to travel to meet, for instance, Bethany—88 miles; and Maryville for a similar reason. And also for the fact that from Hopkins and Maryville to the other towns is a dirt road which sometimes makes it almost impossible for them to meet their dates. There is a Nodaway County league with some good teams and it is possible they may prefer to enter it."

New York—Allen Hall, moved into first place in the American three-cushion League by defeating Otto Reiselt, the champion.

TWO GAMES FOR M. H. S.

TRENTON HERE TONIGHT, LAFAYETTE TOMORROW.

NEITHER TO BE EASY

Bulldogs, Seeking Revenge, May Turn Tables Unless Spoofhounds Get "Hot."

The biggest two-game home series for the Maryville Spoofhounds starts with a game tonight against Trenton high school on the Maryville court, and will be followed by a game tomorrow night with the Lafayette high school team of St. Joseph.

The game tonight will be officiated by P. H. Deaton, assistant coach at Lafayette High, and Sam Dubin of Bedford, will be here tomorrow night to toss up the ball for the St. Joseph tilt. Both games will start at 8 o'clock.

While the Spoofhounds have an envious record of nine consecutive wins, the boys are not expecting easy "pickin's" tonight with the Trenton aggregation. The opinion is held by the coaches that the Maryville team will have to play lots better ball than has been exhibited in the last two games against Bethany and Worth or the Spoofhounds will find themselves on the short end of the score tonight.

The Maryville eagers defeated Trenton on the Trenton floor, 40 to 23, a few weeks ago, but the score does not indicate the battle the Spoofhounds had to win. The half ended 10 to 9 for Maryville. Harry ("Red") Wilson then was sent in the fray and staved off defeat by his uncanny basketshooting, making a 2-counter every time he heaved the ball, regardless of his position on the floor.

The sorrel-thatched youth made nine field baskets and two free-throws in that last half. But in games on the Maryville floor he has not shown this ability to score and unless some member of the local team "goes wild" tonight a nip-and-tuck game is in prospect.

Most of the Spoofhounds are in fairly good condition, but the most of them, in practice the fore part of the week, were off form. Hahn, stalwart guard, was out of school for the first two days of this week nursing a cold, but is expected to start tonight.

Burlington Wins Its Thirteenth Cage Game

For the third time this year the Burlington Junction High School basketball team trounced the Rock Port cagers on the Burlington court Monday night 30 to 14. It was the thirteenth straight victory for the Burlington Junction team. Tomorrow Burlington will play in the Clearmont tournament. The box score:

Rock Port	fg	ft	Burl. Jct.	fg	ft
Schmidt, rf	2	4	Manes, rf	6	1
Ziek, lf	2	1	Barr, rf	2	0
Myers, g, lf	0	0	Har. Plummer, c	1	1
Myers, c	0	1	M. Plumer, rg	1	0
Clifton, rg	0	0	D. Plummer, lg	0	0
Klump, lg	0	0	Westfall, c	0	0
Rupe, lg	0	0	Hld. Plummer, lf	4	0
	–	–	Palmerton, lg	0	0
TOTAL	4	6	Boyer, c	0	0
				–	–
			TOTAL	14	2

Three Games to Be Played at College

Elmo vs. College High, Pickering Town Team Against Printers, Tonight.

Basketball fans who wish to see a lot of action can go out to the College gymnasium tonight, where considerable comedy probably will be mixed with the finer points of the basketball game.

Three games are on the card for the night's program.

Lloyd (Hoop and) Hollar's first and second College Hi School quintets will mix with the first and second string men of Garland Miller's squad from Elmo. Elmo has not met many of the Nodaway County teams this winter, playing games with teams northwest of here and in Iowa. And the Elmo lads have made creditable showings.

The third game of the entertainment will be between the Pickering town team and the Maryville Printers. Both have yet to end a game on the winning side.

The probable starting line up for the Printers will have Doffing and Johnston, guards; Kill, center; and Stanfield and Arthur, forwards.

Kansas City—The Duluth Hornets and the Kansas City Pla-Mors played a 1-1 tie, in an American Association Hockey game.

Ames, Ia.—Iowa State College defeated Oklahoma University's wrestling team, 12-9.

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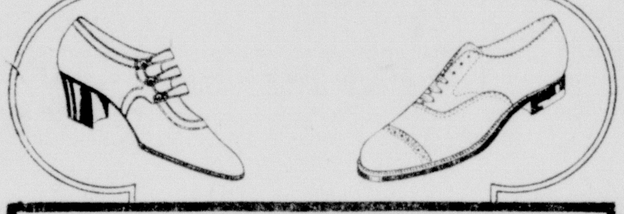

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